

Hundreds Pay Tribute To R. A. Bechstein

Hundreds of friends and neighbors attended the last rites for Robert A. Bechstein, held last Saturday afternoon. A short prayer service was conducted at the Hirsch Chapel in Tinley Park with the Rev. Wm. Riemann, pastor of St. John Evangelical church of Mokena officiating. This service was held at 2:30 o'clock and at 3 o'clock the main service was conducted at St. John's Ev. church in Mokena.

Following the sermon the members of the Knights Templar of Medinah Temple of Chicago conducted the Masonic rites which were colorful and impressive. Mrs. Brown of the office of Herman Grassie County Auditor of Will County, was the soloist and sang two very beautiful songs.

The floral tributes were profuse and exceedingly beautiful attesting to the esteem in which the deceased was held. Interment was made in St. John's cemetery Mokena. The pallbearers were Sheriff Ralph Newmark, and Chief Deputy Walter McGee of Joliet, Elmer L. Cooper, Barney Hostert, Alfred Hatch and Wm. Semmler.

As a special mark of respect all the county offices in the Court House remained closed all day last Saturday.

To Show Movies At Frankfort Lions Meet

"Western Crossing" is the title of the technicolor movie to be shown at Tuesday evening's meeting of the Frankfort Lions Club at the Methodist church. The film will be presented through the courtesy of the Bell Telephone Co. The dinner will be served by members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the church.

MOKENA PTA TO ORGANIZE HOMEMAKING DEPARTMENT

Homemaking is now, and always has been, the most important work of women. Our job is to make more efficient homemakers and to help raise the standards of home life in our community. No nation rises above the home life of its members, and national standards are simply home standards on a larger scale.

The duties of the homemaker in helping our country through these critical times are many and varied. First we must bring about an adjustment in our manner of living to these war conditions without inducing hysteria, self pity or fear, and must offer our service to at least one war time service. We must accept our responsibility for our share of food production, conserving and preserving food to the greatest possible extent.

Conservation of all household equipment, home furnishings and personal clothing are very much in order. We should make conservation and salvage a homemaker project, thereby helping our country in this critical period of shortages of material and labor.

The purpose of this organization is to meet regularly for discussion and lessons in the various departments of homemaking. Classes will be conducted in sewing, millinery, food conservation, homecraft and home equipment. If you are interested in this organization please call Mrs. Berle Needham, Mokena 2861 and offer any suggestions you may have to make. Your enrollment and cooperation is needed.

FRANKFORT RED CROSS UNIT TO ELECT OFFICERS

It was announced by the secretary, Mrs. Blanche Mitchell, that an election of officers will be held this evening at 8 o'clock when the annual meeting of the Frankfort unit of the Will County Red Cross will be held at the school auditorium. The public is urged to attend.

4H FEDERATION TO HELP RAISE WAR MEMORIAL FUND

To help raise funds for a State project of a War Memorial, the Will County 4H Federation will sponsor a dance tomorrow evening, January 13, in the Frankfort school gym. The committee in charge includes Wilma Mark, Clarabelle Sippel, Elvis Gast, Calvin Meyer and Harold Heisner, president of the Federation. The public is invited. Music will be furnished by Palletti's orchestra.

PVT. DON SWINFORD BURIED IN EASTERN FRANCE

Mrs. Katherine Swinford of Frankfort received a message last Friday from Adjutant Gen. Wm. Hanson, of the 79th division headquarters, informing her that her husband Pvt. Don Swinford has been buried in a military cemetery in eastern France. Services were conducted by a Protestant Chaplain.

Mrs. Swinford also received a certificate for the purple heart awarded to her husband who was killed in action October 2, 1944.

Fire Damages Rahm School

Shortly after the opening of the Rahm country school at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning, a chimney fire broke out. The teacher Mrs. Lawrence Woodman immediately dismissed the pupils and called the Frankfort fire department who responded very promptly.

The damage was confined to the exterior of the building and it is estimated at about \$500. It is thought the fire was caused by a defective flue.

Banks Declare Dividends

The State Banks of New Lenox, Mokena, Frankfort, Tinley Park and Orland Park whose reports are printed in this edition, show the largest amount of deposits that they ever had in all the years of existence. Most of these banks have held their annual stock holders meetings.

Practically all the same officers and board of directors were re-elected. The Orland State Bank held their annual stock holders meeting Monday morning. The officers re-elected were Pres. Ray Doctor, vice president, Wm. Macaully, Secretary Joe Gee, Cashier, Geo. E. Gee, Assistant Cashier Walter R. Schussler Jr., Bookkeeper, Miss Knight.

This bank declared a 4 percent dividend. The Mokena bank held their annual stockholders meeting Tuesday afternoon and re-elected all the old officers who were:

Pres., Mrs. Rose Moriarity, vice president, Edw. Marti, Secretary, Geo. C. Volek, Cashier Everett J. Cooper and Assistant Cashier, Lydia Baudry.

The Bremen State Bank at Tinley Park held their annual meeting Thursday evening. This bank declared 4 per cent dividend. The Frankfort State Bank declared a 6 percent dividend.

MRS. ERIC BIZER WILL ENTERTAIN FRANKFORT WOMAN'S CLUB

Mrs. Erich Bizer will entertain members of the Frankfort Woman's Club at her home next Thursday evening. Theme of the meeting is to-day in America. Articles to be read will include items on intolerance and wonder drugs of 1944. There will be a discussion on winter window gardens.

ROBERT ELSNER OF FRANKFORT WINS AWARD IN NATIONAL FUR SHOW

Robt. Elsner, a well known trapper from Frankfort, Will County, is a winner of a Daily Award in the Sixteenth National Fur Show conducted by the Raw Fur Marketing Service of Sears Roebuck and Co.

Elsner's carefully handled Muskrat pelt brought him one of the \$5.00 Daily Awards, as a result of its being judged one of the three best handled skins among all pelts received at Sears Raw Fur Marketing Station in Chicago on Tuesday, Dec. 26 and, in addition, entitles Elsner to consideration for one of the Major Awards, including \$1,000.00 First Award, to be selected at the final judging which will be held in April.

Correct pelt preparation, the prime purpose of the Fur Shows, has proved to be of vital importance to trappers due to the fact that millions of dollars were formerly wasted thru careless, incorrect skinning, stretching and drying of furs, dollars which could readily have gone into the trappers' pockets instead of being cast to the winds. Well prepared pelts command more money than poorly handled ones, thus increasing not alone the earnings of the trapper, but the value of our country's natural resources. Sears Fur Show was established to stress the point and, thus, to encourage correct pelt handling.

This season's 16th National awards again total \$7,590, in cash, including 918 Daily \$5.00 Awards, amounting to \$1,950, topped by an eagerly sought after \$1,000. First Award, plus twelve Sectional Awards for complete fur shipments, aggregating \$800. All awards are for pelt handling only, not kind or value of skin. Every pelt shipped to Sears, during the term of the Fur Show, is automatically considered for one or more awards. Full details are given in the 1944-45 edition of Tips To Trappers, free copy of this book may be obtained by writing Sears Raw Fur Marketing service at Chicago.

TO ORGANIZE 4H CLUB IN FRANKFORT

Mr. Harold Schroth of Frankfort is planning to call a meeting to organize a 4H club. All boys and girls in Frankfort and vicinity from the ages of 10 to 21 who are interested in joining a farm project 4H club are requested to call Mr. Schroth at Frankfort 2248.

FRANKFORT COUPLE TO CELEBRATE 25TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Voss will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary Sunday January 21, by holding Open House in the parlors of St. Peter's Evang. church in Frankfort from 2 to 5 o'clock. A family dinner will be served in the church at 7 o'clock.

BLIZZARD TIES UP ROADS

The blizzard which raged all last night, tied up highways and kept snow plow crews out all night.

Triplets Are Thriving



Above are the triplet sons of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Bayer of Orland Park: George, Gerald and James, aged two months. They are well, thriving and weigh from nine to twelve pounds. They are living, with their mother, in the home of Miss Florence Hollstein, R. N., in Frankfort, who is assisting in caring for them.

Mr. Bayer, known to his friends as Rudy is employed by the Taylor Forge Pipe Works in Cicero, Ill.. He made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sayers in Orland since 1940.

In answer to the inquiries of their many friends in the Service, we print this picture and hope you get your paper.

Liess Brothers In European Theatre of Operations

An Eighth Air Force Service Command Station, England—Cpl. Robt. Liess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Liess, Mokena, is company clerk for a quartermaster trucking company in the transportation division of this strategic air depot bomber repair base.

He was graduated from the Joliet Township high school in 1932 and prior to his entry into the military service January 15, 1941 at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., he was operating a service station. He has been stationed in the European Theatre of Operations since Sept. 26, 1942.

Cpl. Liess' brother Sherwin is a Corporal in an anti-aircraft unit stationed in Corsica.

ST. GEORGE MEN'S CLUB TO SPONSOR DANCE AT TINLEY

Preparations are going ahead at great speed to have an enjoyable evening Feb. 3 at Saenger Hall, Tinley Park. The Orchestra has been contacted and put wise to how to spell their name—Sunny not Sonny—Solar rather than filial in derivative. The women folks of St. George church have volunteered to serve sandwiches which we think sound more like a meal than a snack. Many prizes are being donated to be given to lucky ones. So we all are looking forward to a most enjoyable evening and want all our friends to enjoy it with us by coming to the party.

August Hentsch Was First Chief of Tinley Park Fire Department



The above picture, which was taken quite a number of years ago, shows members of the Tinley Park Fire Department. They are left to right:

F. A. Hopman, H. Klepper, H. F. Brueggemann, W. Rick, W. Funk, C. Niemann, C. Koehler, Fred Goebel, E. E. Rice, Fred Hick, and Wm. Siemen.

The Tinley Park Volunteer Fire Department is now 45 years old and in commemoration of the event they are sponsoring an Anniversary dance at the Saenger Hall in Tinley Park this Saturday evening. They are offering some outstanding prizes as follows: First prize Steer; second, pig, third, sheep, fourth, goose fifth, duck and sixth rooster.

Music will be furnished by Sunny's orchestra. Refreshments will be served and the committee on arrangements says there will be plenty of fun and frolic for all.

The Tinley Park Volunteer Fire Department was organized in Dec. 1901 with 20 charter members as follows:

August Hentsch, Fred Hentsch, Christ Andres, John C. Andres, Wm. Funk, Henry Hofman, Herman Stockman, Henry Glogwartz, Richard Scharf, Fred Schmiedeknecht.

Wm. Nielsen, Geo. Boldt, Wm. Rix, Philip Mager, John C. Funk, Wm. J. Hollstein, Dan Rogers, Frank Fulton, Ernest E. Rice, Dick Breuning.

The first fire chief of this department was August Hentsch who is now living in Mokena. Of the 20 charter members, 8 are still living at the present time of which number 5 still are active members

Commendation Awarded To Clarence Werner

The following commendation has been awarded to Pfc. Clarence W. Werner by his Commanding Officer. MOTOR TRANSPORT BRIGADE Truck Company, 9513 (PROV) Red Ball Express

1 October 1944
Commendation to Pfc. Clarence W. Werner, 36353285.

1. Since D day the real American secret weapon on the Continent of Europe has been two hands frozen to the steering wheel, driving hundreds of miles in a single day to get gasoline and ammunition and rations and more gasoline to the armies of General's Patton and Hodges.

2. You are to be commended for your untiring day in and day out, 20 hours a day as shown when your truck zigzagged and you stopped and splashed cold water on your face and drove on. For days at a time you have gone without mail and slept when ever you could sometimes on piles of ruins which had scarcely cooled from the heat of battle.

3. In spite of all the hardships the load after load of supplies which you carried to the front along the constantly lengthening route of our armies as they penetrated deeper into Germany, arrived safely and on time.

4. Gasoline in itself is a very hazardous commodity, and handling a cargo of petrol in forward positions calls for the utmost courage which you have demonstrated.

5. It is my pleasure as your Commanding Officer to take this privilege to commend you for the work you have accomplished while a mem-

ber of this command.
Lawrence S. Alloway,
Captain, Infantry, Commanding.
Pfc. Clarence Werner has also been awarded the Combat Infantryman Badge for exemplary conduct in action against the enemy, 9 Dec. 1944.

MRS. BERLE H. NEEDHAM ENLISTS IN ARMY NURSE CORP

Mrs. Berle H. Needham of Millbrae Calif., who recently enlisted in the Army Nurse Corps received her commission as Lt. on December 29, 1944 and is receiving her basic training at Ft. Lewis, Tacoma, Wash.

Lt. Needham is well known in Mokena and vicinity as the former Miss Dorothy Hall of Mokena. She is the first citizen of Mokena to enter into this branch of service. She is a graduate of Mokena Grade and High Schools and also of the Joliet Township high school. Following her completion of studies in the latter high school in 1938 she entered the school of nursing at Silver Cross hospital from which she was graduated in 1942. May 11, 1943 she was united in marriage to Lt. Berle H. Needham at the camp where he was stationed in Arkansas.

Lt. Dorothy Needham has been making her home with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Stokes Nebeker at Millbrae, Cal. where she has been following her profession in a nearby hospital. Her husband Lt. Berle Needham was killed in France Sept. 13, 1944.

FRANKFORT MOKENA HOME BUREAU UNIT MEETS JAN. 16

The December meeting of the Frankfort Mokena Home Bureau unit was held at the home of Mrs. Harold Schuldt on Dec. 19 for an all day meeting. A covered dish luncheon was served at the noon hour. Our Home Adviser Mrs. Duronda Crall was present and gave a very interesting lesson on Clothes in Relation to the Individual with some very helpful suggestions on re-modeling old garments.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Piepenbrink Tuesday January 16 at 1:30 pm.

Tinley Park Garden Club

Memories, for most of us, are made up of little things. Reading from the Bible, the president of the Tinley Park Garden Club, Mrs. Swisher, opened the December meeting at her home, with a roll call of sixteen members. A feeling of warmth and friendliness spread from the blazing fire on the hearth, the perfume of pine was everywhere.

Mrs. Nielsen reported candy had been sent to sons and daughters of Garden Club members in service as Christmas remembrances. It was decided to continue with awards at each meeting and purchase another War Bond.

Mrs. John Funk passed around an Edelweiss blossom from China and this proved very interesting.

Our heads were bowed in silent prayer for the boys and girls in service, all joined in the Lord's Prayer and Mrs. Hug lit a Christmas candle for all sons and daughters in service. With the well wishes of all the members, Mrs. Moss presented Mrs. Swisher with a lovely boot for her collection and an ornamental duckling.

Mrs. Shirley Roe, Mrs. Swisher's guest for the day, won the award of two bars of toilet soap.

The following program, arranged by Mrs. Hug, besought us not to abandon the Christmas spirit of good will, of gift giving, of unselfishness, so that a structure which has taken centuries to build will not be pulled down.

A Christmas Candle, Mrs. Hug; A Toast to a Happier Christmas, Mrs. English, The Story, Mrs. Swisher.

Song, Joy to the World, What do you want for Christmas?, Mrs. Klepper, Who said Empty? Mrs. Nielsen-Song It Came Upon the Midnight Clear, Christmas Casualty, Mrs. Clarke, A visit to Santa Claus, Mrs. Anderson.

Song, O Come all ye Faithful, December, Mrs. J. C. Funk, Reading, Christmas 1944, Mrs. Baldwin; Song, Silent Night.

The lovely litter of Christmas was evident everywhere following the delightful exchange of Christmas gifts.

The dining room was a fairy tale place with its spacious window giving way to a snowy Christmas village and table emphasizing the spirit of Christmas, laden with homey foods, spiced with old time flavors, lovingly prepared, Mrs. Swisher presided at the punch bowl set among evergreens and flickering candles. Tiny vases containing bits of evergreen were her thought for each member.

Rev. Anderson will discuss "Trees of the Bible" at the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Edna Clarke.

—Florence Anderson, Sec.

STANGER BROTHERS CASE CONTINUED TO JANUARY 26

The hearing of the Stanger Bros. which had been set for last Friday in the Will County Circuit Court before Judge James V. Bartley was continued until Jan. 26 due to the inability of State's Attorney James E. Burke to be present due to illness.

SALE DATES

Edward Schmaedeke, Auctioneer Jan. 24—Wm. Kampe, Frankfort

Holdup Men Fail To Get Loot At Tinley Park

Holdup men made their appearances in Tinley Park last week but failed to get any loot.

The first case was that of Joseph L. Moses residing at 183rd and Sayre Ave. Tinley Park. Mr. Moses who is employed in a war plant in Chicago drives back to and from his work, had just returned to his home at 1 o'clock Saturday morning.

Just as he stepped out of his car four colored men attacked him, got in his car and attempted to drive away. They only drove a short distance before they ran into a snow bank and became hopelessly stuck. They immediately scrambled out of the car and disappeared in the darkness. No further trace was found of them.

Another case occurred in broad daylight in the tavern of Peter Parenti one morning this week. Mr. Parenti was alone behind the bar when a young lad approximately 17 or 18 years old entered and sauntered up to the bar. When Mr. Parenti asked him what he wanted the youth produced a gun and said "some cash" whereupon Mr. Parenti grabbed the youth's hand holding the gun while with his left he swung out and delivered a real upper cut on the would-be hold up man's jaw which sent him sprawling on the bar room floor.

The youth wasn't knocked out however and quickly scrambled to his feet and a hasty exit.

Jack Christensen Dies Denver Hospital

Mrs. Jacob DePorto of Frankfort received a telegram Wednesday from Mrs. Jack Christensen, at Denver, Colo., saying her husband had died the same day in a hospital in that city.

Surviving are the wife, one son Jerry and one daughter Karen who at present is living with Mr. and Mrs. DePorto.

Mr. Christensen who was forty-one years old, living at Mokena and in Lincoln Estates for many years. He went to Denver last August.

Youths Held In Tin Theft Case Freed

Six youths who were arrested by Constable John Helenhouse of Orland Park the forepart of November as alleged members of an alleged ring engaged in stealing automobile tires and tools and who have out on bond, appeared before a judge in the Criminal Court, Chicago last Wednesday. The judge placed two of the youths Gilbert Berry and Kenneth Johnson on two years probation. They joined the army. The remaining four defendants Harry Went, Bert McKean, Edward Winke and Parker Andres were freed by the judge.

Sister of Mokena Man Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Edith Mattson, of Joliet, sister of Howard Beagley of Mokena, died of a heart attack Tuesday morning. She was 63 years old.

She is survived by two sons, Roy and Earl Yahnke; one daughter, Mrs. Howard Vewig; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Herbert Gallas and Mrs. Herbert Lehman; one sister, Mrs. Edward Rowsell, all of Joliet; one brother, Howard Beagley of Mokena and other relatives.

Funeral services will be held from Sonntag funeral home in Joliet with the Rev. A. P. Johnson officiating Friday afternoon at 1:30 p. m. Interment in Hills of Rest.

The deceased was born in Frankfort.

Final Date For Filing Production Report

The final date for filing a report of 1944 production practices carried out on the farms in Cook County is February 15, 1945, Warren R. Macaulay, member of the county AAA committee in charge of the Conservation program, announced today that he had received this word from the Illinois State AAA Office at Decatur, and he urged farmers to file their performance reports as soon as possible, if they had not already done so.

"To be eligible for payments under 1944 Practice Program conservation measures must be carried out during the 1944 calendar year," Mr. Macaulay explained. "The 45 day lag is granted to give farmers sufficient time to file their reports at the county office."

The county AAA committee member went on to say that community committeemen contacted farmers last October and November in an effort to get a report of performance. At that time, many farmers had not completed their 1944 practices, and were unable to make their report.

He urged every farmer who had not filed his performance practice report to do so now, and, at all events before February 15, 1945. All reports should be made at the Cook County AAA Office at 2414 W. Grove St., Blue Island, Ill.



Washington, D. C. NO MILITARY ERROR

Those close up to the war picture are convinced that aside from faulty intelligence, there was no one single military error which brought on the swift and disastrous German breakthrough.

Undoubtedly some intelligence officers will be disciplined or broken for failing to evaluate the concentration of German troops opposite the First army about a week beforehand. But there were other factors contributing to the reverse, none of which can be laid at the doorstep of a single commander. Basically they are factors which only General Eisenhower and General Marshall themselves could properly evaluate and act on.

Here are some of the inside, basic factors involved:

1. General Marshall himself ordered the U. S. offensive which began November 8, and which continued with battering-ram tactics until Von Rundstedt turned the tide against us. Marshall, visiting the battlefield in October, said that during the winter the Germans could mobilize 100 new divisions, so it was wise for us to clear them off the west bank of the Rhine before winter closed in.

2. There was and is no disposition to doubt the wisdom of General Marshall's decision. However, these battering-ram tactics cost men, also tire men out. The American system is to keep divisions on the front line, bringing up fresh men only for replacements. Thus the divisions now at the front have been fighting steadily since the landing in Normandy last June—with, of course, a lot of men coming up as replacements.

Germans Rested Troops.

3. This is considered an excellent system and gets results. However, the Germans immediately took out their battle troops after Normandy and sent them to rest behind the lines. The Nazi boys and old men we encountered in the Siegfried line made us think the German army was shot to pieces, but it wasn't. The experienced battle troops, now refreshed after a long rest, are taking the offensive against us.

4. The war department itself was responsible for a lot of the favorable news which gave the public a general feeling of overconfidence. One of its most important indications was that some 800,000 German troops were killed or taken prisoners during the clean-up of France, making a sizable hole in the Nazi army. Of these, however, about 400,000 were Russian-Ukrainian labor battalions. Thus the American public had reasons to believe that a large slice of the German army was decimated.

5. Germany's new Royal Tiger tank is superior to ours and we have known it. It is extremely difficult to knock out of commission. However, we thought the war was going to be over soon and that we could finish up the job with the tanks already on hand—of which we had tremendous quantities. More recently, however, we have started building a big tank which can equal or better the Royal Tiger.

Robots Beat Airplanes.

6. Robot bombs and rocket bombs can fly in any weather whereas airplanes can't. Also they don't require men. Thus the Germans have been able to bomb us from the air—by robots and rockets—while because of bad weather we couldn't bomb them. The Nazis lay out a square of territory in and behind our lines, then systematically pepper it with rocket bombs. They can aim them well enough to hit within certain areas.

7. The German system is to attack suddenly with tremendous force and heavy armor in one small area; they concentrated hundreds of tanks in their first attack. Once they broke through, they spread out. Also the Nazis had little to lose.

8. However, it remains a fact that we had advance information of great Nazi activity for about a week before the attack came, though apparently we sized it up as preparation for retreat rather than attack.

Note — Gen. Courtney Hodges, against whose First army the blow was launched, is regarded as an average American general. He was not able to make the grade at West Point, but immediately enlisted in the army and has worked his way up. He was a major in command of infantry in the last war, one rank higher than Marshall, who was then a captain, and has commanded infantry all his career since, having risen to be chief of infantry shortly before we entered the war.

UNDER THE DOME

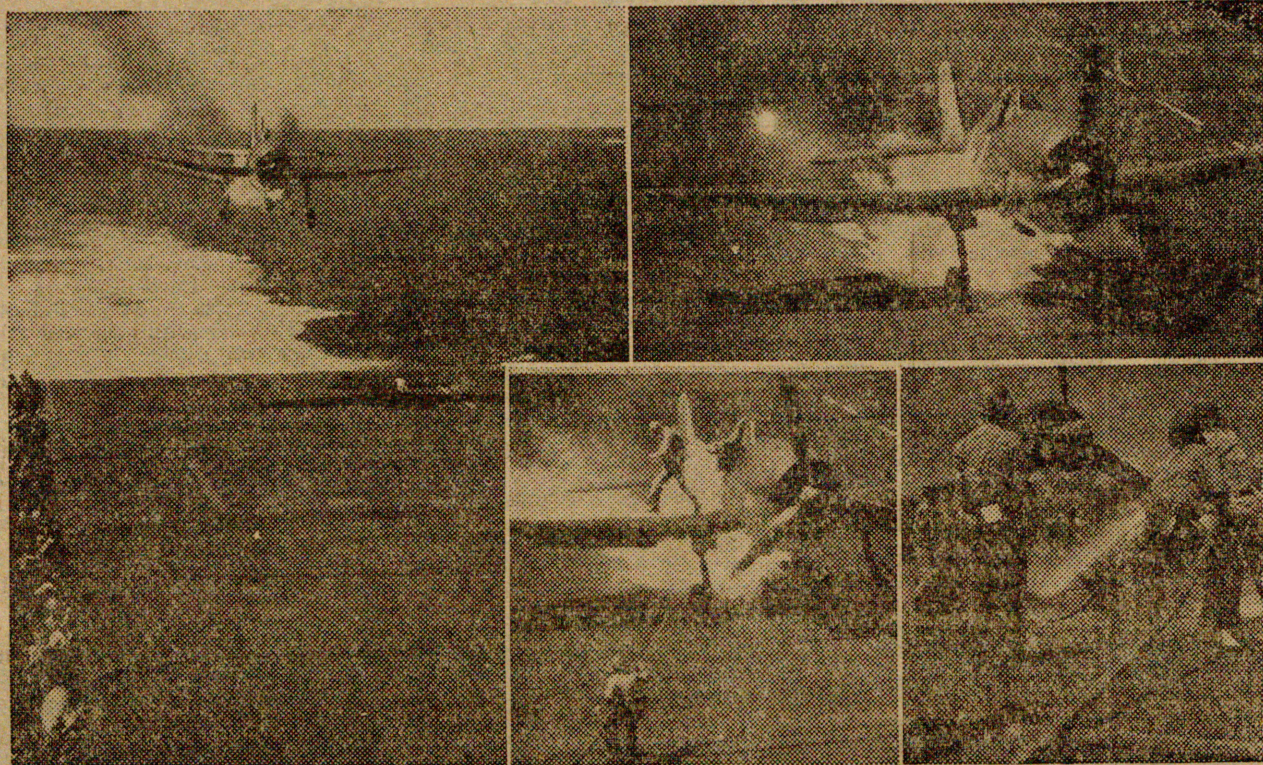
The expansion in the tire industry, announced by WPB, inspires no cheers from anyone in the tire industry. Labor is unhappy because manpower difficulties rule out Akron as the site for the new plants. Akron is a strong union town, and organization there is fairly simple. . . . The big rubber companies are unhappy because they have no assurance that the new tire plants will be ripped apart after the war. They are afraid of new postwar competition.

'Waddy's Wagon' Comes to Life at Saipan



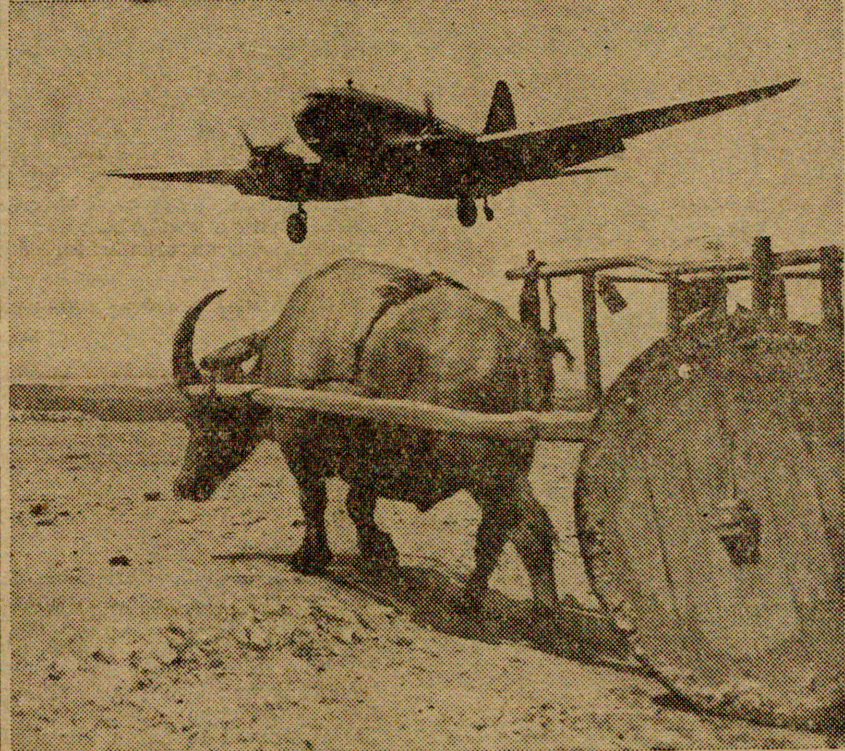
The crew of "Waddy's Wagon," fifth B-29 to take off on the initial Tokyo mission from Saipan, and first to land, pose to duplicate their caricatures on the plane. Upper left shows Brig. Gen. Haywood S. Hansell of San Antonio, Texas, who commands the 21st bomber command of the 20th air force. Upper right, Col. Byron E. Bruggs, left, of Tampa, Fla., and Brig. Gen. Emmett O'Donnell of Jamaica, L. I., N. Y., as they were launching the B-29 raids on Tokyo.

Burning Navy Plane Saved Aboard Carrier



Quick action by navy fire fighters saves flaming plane and pilot. Like a meteor, a navy F6F burst into flames (as shown at left) as it approached its carrier, the USS Cowpens, in the Pacific. Upper right, shows the plane as it landed. Center, shows pilot leaving the burning plane. Lower right, the fire is out, with no damage to carrier.

'New and Old' Transportation



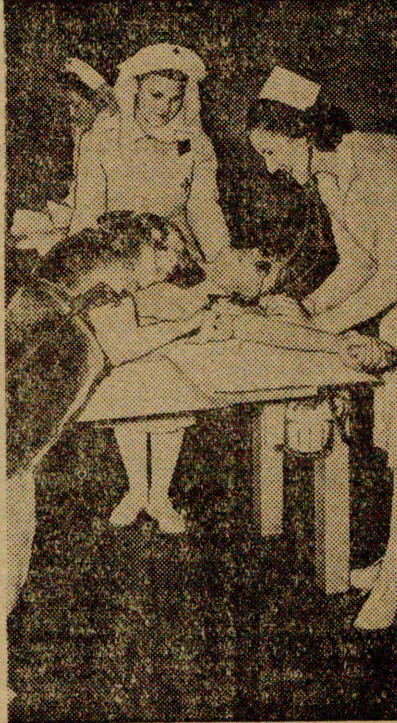
An oxen wagon loaded with supplies for the U. S. army rolls slowly by as a modern war plane comes in for a landing on a newly constructed runway, somewhere in China. Many of the landing fields were constructed with the aid of Chinese labor, and their ever faithful and hard working teams of oxen.

Congressmen Aboard Carrier



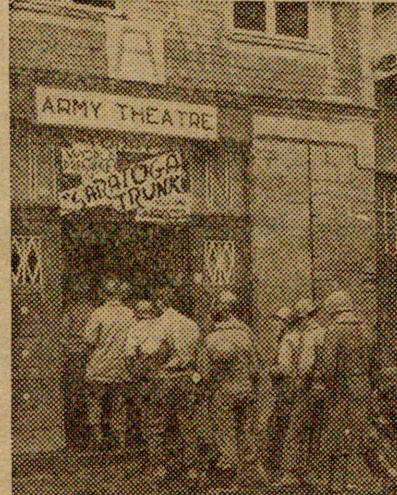
From the deck of a carrier, members of congress visiting the Pacific area observe the accuracy of navy gunners. In the center of the front row, peering through binoculars, is Adm. C. W. Nimitz. At his right is Congressman J. J. Heffernan of New York, and at his left is Congresswoman Margaret C. Smith of Maine.

Blind Gives Blood



With his "seeing eye" dog, "Duchess," supervising the proceedings, blind John Ulrich, of Washington, makes his 10th blood donation at the Red Cross blood donor center in Washington, D. C.

GI Show in Belgium



U. S. servicemen are shown entering a show to see "Saratoga Trunk," in a section recently taken from the Germans. The USO has been able to keep the shows moving to the front, as the troops advance into Germany.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.
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Lesson for January 14

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JESUS BEGINS HIS MINISTRY

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 3:13-4:11.
GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and Him only shalt thou serve.—Matthew 4:10.

Ready for service—this is the next scene from our Lord's life which comes before us in Matthew. Thirty years had passed since His birth, but these are hidden in silence, save for the one glimpse of Him in the temple which is given only by Luke.

These were not years of idleness or luxury. He was obedient to Joseph and Mary. He worked in the carpenter shop. He fellowshipped with God's people, and best of all, with His heavenly Father. He showed obedience and faithfulness in life's ordinary things. And then, all at once, the day of His public ministry was at hand.

His baptism and temptation were a part, the opening event, of that ministry. We find Him:

I. Identified With Sinners (3:13-15).
John, the fiery forerunner of Jesus, had come with a burning message of repentance, and sinners were coming to him to be baptized as a sign of their contrition.

Suddenly Jesus appeared. John pointed to Him as the "Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world" (John 1:29). When He offered Himself for baptism, John demurred. There was no sin in Jesus that He should need baptism. There was no occasion for Him to express in a special act His obedience, for He always did the will of God. (Heb. 10:7).

Why then was Jesus baptized? We find the answer in the central purpose for which He came into the world, namely, to save sinners. Here at His official entrance upon that work He, who though He knew no sin was to become sin for us, took the sinner's place in baptism. It was not because He had Himself sinned, but because He was to become the substitute for the sinner. What marvelous condescension and grace!

II. Approved of God (3:16, 17).
The Holy Spirit, like a dove, rested upon Him. The dove is one of the symbols of the Spirit, and speaks of gentleness, meekness, purity, peace and love.

Out of the eternal dwelling places in heaven came the voice of the eternal Father expressing His approval and pleasure in His son. The person and work of Christ bear their own commendation of Him to us as divine. Here we have the Father's word, and the Holy Spirit's coming. Thus we have here the entire Trinity.

III. Tempted by Satan (4:1-11).
A time of testing was ahead. Jesus did not fear it, but notice that He did not seek it either. He was led by the Spirit into this great conflict. We may learn that we must not seek nor put ourselves in the way of temptation, but when it comes we may meet it without fear. God is with us.

He was tempted as the Messiah, and the Son of God, and it was a real testing, one from which we need to learn what to do when tempted. It was threefold: physical, spiritual and vocational.

1. The Physical Temptation.
Forty days of conflict with Satan made His body hungry. Under such circumstances it was a terrific temptation to use His divine power to make bread. He could have done it, but He did not. One doesn't have to live, but one does have to obey and honor God.

Note how effectively Christ used Scripture (from Deuteronomy—have you read it lately?). It is the only sure answer to Satan's temptations, but you must learn it if you are going to use it.

2. The Spiritual Temptation.
Here Satan asked Him to presume on the grace of God. If He cannot get you to abandon your faith, he will urge you to go to some fanatical and unscriptural extreme in using it.

God always cares for His own when they are in the place where He wants them to be, but He does not deliver us from foolhardy and unnecessary risks which we want to call "faith."

3. The Vocational Temptation.
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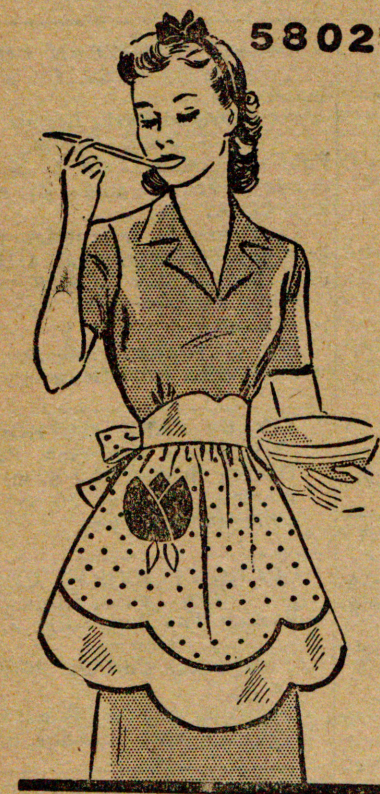
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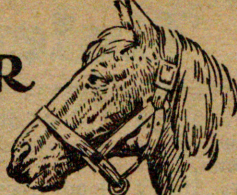
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THE STORY THUS FAR: Amos Croy settled on a farm in Missouri, where he married and a son, Homer, was born. Sunday meant church, company for dinner and steer weight guessing. Dehorning of calves, curing of hams, weaning of calves, sausage making, and helping Newt break in the mules were all part of his work. He won a prize for writing his "most unusual dream." The Croys attended the Omaha Exposition, where Homer saw his first horseless carriage, first "hula dancers" and first motion picture. The motion picture scared him at first, but later he came to be thrilled by it as well as the dance and the "horseless carriage." It was not long before he was to produce a picture.

CHAPTER XIII

Most of the hired men talked sex almost continuously with the sons of the men they worked for. Renzo had a finer streak. He thought of girls and he talked of girls. But he didn't go past a certain point. Some innate fineness held him back, there. A girl lived behind our farm; to go to town she had to drive through our farm to get to the main road. Each time she went by, Renzo must have thought his thoughts, but he never said anything that told me what was going on in his mind. Once, as we were trimming hedge near her house, we saw one of her undergarments on the clothesline. It set my mind jumping and it must have fired Renzo's too, but he made only some mild remark and went on whacking.

The girl became aware of us, plucked the undergarment off the line and darted back into the house.

"I guess we can do a better job now," said Renzo and although I tried to lead him into more talk, when we rested, it was all he would say. It may have been he thought I was too young, or that my father would not approve; but on the whole I think it was a bit of fineness in humble Renzo.

He bought a buggy, with the spokes staggered in red hubs, spread his lap robe on the back of the seat, and asked the girls to try his new buggy. But they found excuses. He was too smart not to understand and, at times, had depressed spells. Renzo who had always been so cheerful and the life of our fireside.

He became secretive and wrote letters and took them down to the mailman and handed them to him personally. On the day he expected an answer he would manage to meet the carrier before he got to our box. But in spite of this, now and then there would be a nice neat little envelope addressed to Lorenzo Davis among our farm papers and incubator catalogues. He would put the letter into his hip pocket, as if it didn't amount to much. Sometimes, at the barn, I would see the ends he had ragged off.

In the meantime he continued to trade. In a big businessman this would have been called "financial shrewdness." We called it "dickering."

On the Fourth of July he put in his lapel a celluloid button which said "Girl Wanted," and walked slowly from one group of girls to another. Other boys were also wearing the button, but his really meant something to Renzo.

Finally he said he had been offered a job in Holt county; when he left he had two horses and two or three pieces of farm machinery, and some money in the bank. We hated to see him go. It was loneliness that evening without Renzo and his violin.

Two years later, possibly, he drove up in a spring-wagon, a girl beside him. "How do you like her?" he asked proudly. He stayed for dinner and we talked over old times, delighted to have Renzo at our table again. The girl, we found, was a hired girl working for a farmer who had a sickly wife. We liked the girl. She was all right. But the one we really liked was Renzo. We telephoned the neighbors and several of them came in. He introduced her proudly. Once there was a slip, for one of the neighbors pretended that Renzo had sparked every girl in the neighborhood. I think this hurt Renzo a little, for the real truth of it must have flashed before him. We went out and had a stock weighing and Pa let him guess the closest so Renzo could impress his girl.

When time came to leave, Renzo drove away with his own team, waving to us as he whirled out of the lot. A bit later he sent us a three-line newspaper item, pasted on his letter with white of egg, saying that Lorenzo Davis and Miss So-and-So had been married and had rented such-and-such a farm where they would soon move and set up house-keeping.

Two or three years passed. Now and then we got a letter written by his wife asking us how we were and, as she put it, "expressing my husband's best wishes." One day we were surprised and delighted to have Renzo swirl up in our drive lot with a very dashing team covered with expensive fly nets. He could hardly wait to tell us the news. He had bought the So-and-So farm in our neighborhood! And he exactly had. He hadn't had much money to put down, but he had made the deal and maybe with good luck he could pull through. Well, Renzo pulled through.

He lives in the neighborhood which once wouldn't have him, and is one of its leaders. And so is his wife. She is a member of the "Knabb Country Club," she "entertains," and does it very well. The favorite kind of home entertainment is the "covered-dish luncheon." Which means that the women arrange to meet at a member's home and each member takes along a "covered dish"; this is usually a hot dish. These are put on the table and luncheon is announced. The women go in and someone says grace and the lunch is served. Well, Mrs. Renzo has as good covered-dish luncheons as anyone, and is as well thought of as anyone. And the very girls—now women—who once turned up their noses at Renzo now accept him fully and so does the neighborhood, for he now belongs to the land aristocracy.

Our farmers felt immensely inferior to "city people," as we thought of those who lived in town. There was good reason for it. For when we clunked in our mud-spattered wagons, the "city people" were dashing around on vitrified brick paving in carriages with high-stepping horses and with buggy whips that stood up straight. As we would pull up in front of the grocery store and get out our half-bushel measure of oats, the city people would smile



Talk together as we ate our cheese and crackers.

superciliously. Sometimes, as we stood in the back part of the grocery fishing the eggs out of the oats, the city people would come in and purchase things we couldn't even dream of buying.

When we went in to trade, the merchants wore fine clothes and had elegant polished manners. When we wanted to buy a pair of shoes, we would feel sensitive because of the milk stains. One day Pa took me in the Bee Hive and said, "I'd like to get a pair of Sunday shoes for my boy." The man said, "Sit right down. I'm sure we can fit you out with any dress shoe you want." We noticed such things.

All of us country boys felt a dreadful sense of inferiority and, when we met on the street or walked together, we didn't laugh and joke and have a good time the way we did Sunday afternoons on the farm. We could spot a town boy coming a block and we could see him nudge his friend and make funny remarks. We'd pretend we didn't see, or sink out of sight on the stairway going up to a photographer's, and talk in low, constrained tones. Sometimes we would meet at dinnertime in the back of the grocery store and talk together as we ate our cheese and crackers. But not the hearty way we did on the farm.

The town girls would sweep down the street, three abreast, arms locked; when we saw them coming, we would swing over so they could pass.

In the paper was a department called "Society," where we would read about the people as if they were titled foreigners. No farmer ever got into Society. On another page was a department called "Selected Jottings." A farmer could get into that, but usually he had to top the hog market, or have a two-headed calf.

But there was one place we felt at ease; the Pavilion. This was the arena where, every other Saturday afternoon, horses and mules and cattle and sheep were auctioned off. Sometimes household plunder. The farmers would stand around in their muddy boots and their caps with earlaps and feel at home; no city man ever came there unless he wanted to see us queer people. Sometimes, however, the city boys would come. But this was a different world—our world—and they didn't monkey around long.

Only one other boy from Knabb had ever gone to the high school at the county seat; no Croy ever had. It was a new world for Pa

to think in, but he said, "If you want to go, Homer, I'll manage to send you."

I knew how much was behind this. Someone must do the work I had been doing; some way must be provided to get me back and forth, six miles twice a day. When I had gone to Uncle Will Sewell's to visit, it had been twelve miles, a tremendous distance. Now I must travel that far each day.

Ma drove in to town with me to see the professor and I was enrolled. As the day approached, I became more and more concerned. Could I hold up my end among the smart city boys? On top of this was another millstone: all my life I had been shy and self-conscious and I had the feeling that all the country boys in our section had: inferiority. And I was awkward and ill at ease and gulpy-throat when I met new people.

There was the problem of clothes. And the problem of money to pay them with. "You can wear my Sunday pants, Homer."

I protested and yet I did want to wear them.

"You go ahead and wear them. I've been thinking of getting a new pair, anyway."

Pa must have sensed the violent change that was coming into my life. "Homer, I'll drive you in Monday morning and bring you back. I've got some things I want to do in town."

I knew that was a polite lie, but it made me like Pa. Sometimes he seemed so indifferent and impersonal and hard-driving that I almost hated him; then he would do something that made a warm flash come in my heart.

He drove me up in front of the schoolhouse and I climbed down out of the back. "I'll be up around the Square at noontime." Then he shook the lines and drove slowly away.

I did not speak to a soul I didn't have to. I was taller and older than the boys in the freshman class, as I soon discovered, and knew nothing about the ringing of the classroom bells and the constant marching here and there. At noon one of the teachers sat down at a piano and played for us to march out. I thought I had just about reached the top in education.

Pa was standing in front of the grocery where we always met. "How did you fare, son?"

"All right, I guess."

"Well, I guess we'd better eat. We'll go to the short order today." No eating in the back of the grocery today.

It was where the farmers went and where we felt at home. He said proudly to one of the men, "My son's just startin' a term of school."

The man looked me over. "Ain't he goin' to be a farmer?"

"Sure he is," said Pa confidently.

At the end of the meal he said, "You needn't hurry when school dismisses. I'll be around the grocery. There he was, when school was out, patiently waiting.

The next day I was on my own. In my ill-fitting clothes, I moved about in this new and complicated world in a sort of daze. When I arrived each morning I hated to go in, and when school dismissed I darted away to where I had my horse stable and clunked off for home as fast as I could.

Mornings were worst. As I rode in on old Dave, I would have to pass students on the way to school. I felt horribly ashamed of big-footed Dave who had a way of making distressing noises. I was the only one who had to clump in on horseback and when Dave rumbled by, the students would turn their eyes on us, and it seemed to me I would die.

I soon discovered the streets most frequented, and veered my course so I wouldn't be seen by so many students. Now and then a boy would come out of his home, fresh from breakfast, and fall in with friends on the way to school. It seemed to me the very epitome of luxury to be able to live in town, get up late, and have gay friends to walk to school with.

At noon the boys and girls went to their homes, but I went to the widow's stable where I kept Dave. I would water him and put his feed in his box, then sit down near him and the two of us would eat.

The barn was so gloomy and fly-filled that I wanted to take my paper-wrapped lunch somewhere else. But there was the problem of the other students who always seemed to be smiling at me.

I began putting my lunch in my pocket and going behind the Methodist Church. But now and then someone would come through the alley and stare. Finally I hit on a new plan. There was an areaway back of the church and I would lower myself into it and unwrap my lunch.

I would go back to the school ground where the other boys were playing, and would stand around, wanting to play but not knowing how to go about it. Now and then one of the boys would make a friendly advance, but I would be brief with him to show I was getting along all right.

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Alpine

The Orland Home Bureau meeting which was to have been held Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Owen Maue has been postponed until Friday evening Jan. 19.

Mrs. Henry Felsch who recently underwent a major operation in Silver Cross hospital returned home Wednesday.

Robert Wakeland, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wakeland former Alpine residents, had the misfortune to break his leg last Wednesday while walking home from school. After spending a few days in Silver Cross hospital, he is now recuperating in his home in Tinley.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson visited Sunday evening in the Paul Lemke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jungles entertained their pinocle club at a party in their home Friday evening. The following members and their families were present: Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hostert, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberts, and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mancke all of Mokena and also Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Anderson.

At a late hour delicious refresh-

ments were served by the hostess. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones were entertained at dinner Sunday evening in the home of the former's mother Mrs. May Jones of Mokena.

Mrs. Harold Shroats had as her guest Sunday, Miss Violet Eifler of Skokie.

Mrs. Roy Lemke has received the latest change of address of her brother Sgt. Robt. Nemeth. Bob has been in the following camps during his 24 months in the armed service: Camp Robinson, Ark., N. Camp Hood, Texas; Camp Blanding, Fla. Camp Van Dorn Miss. and his latest address is Camp Swift, Texas.

Leslie Jaes was closing his garage doors Monday evening when he caught his small finger in the door and cut off the tip of it.

MARLEY

Virginia Sass

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the Maple St. Arbor of Gleaners was held Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Corp. Reports were given by James Frazer, secretary and treasurer. Mr. Glenn Dodson, Gleaner chair-

man of this district, gave a brief talk. He requested that members send cards to Mr. Eddie Fortin, state manager, who is a patient in St. Mary's hospital, Kankakee following a serious automobile accident.

The result of the election is as follows: Chief Gleaner, Julian Gorham, Vice chief Gleaner, Harwood Stellwagon, Chaplain, Loren Sass; Secretary and treasurer, James D. Frazer, Conductor, Ralph Bell; Conductress, Mrs. Herbert Corp, Lecturer, Mrs. Minnie Blodgett; Inner Guard, Herbert Corp, Outer Guard, Mrs. Chas. Seivert, Flower committee, Mrs. Alfred Sproat, Mrs. Minnie Blodgett and Mr. Franz. Dance committee: Mr. Ralph Cutler, Mr. Sass, Mr. Gorham, Mr. Walter Haas, Mr. Leo Ruettiger and Mr. Frazer. and Mid winter party Mr. Gorham, chairman. Mrs. Loren Sass, chairman of card games and Mrs. Minnie Blodgett, refreshment chairman.

The annual meeting of the Marley church will be held at 2:30 o'clock this Sunday afternoon, Jan. 14 at the church. Election of officers will be held and reports of progress and activity will be presented. All are urged to attend.

The Woman's club will meet Jan. 16 at the home of Mrs. Frances Laufner with Mrs. Virginia Sass as co-hostess.

The Missionary society will sew at Silver Cross hospital this month. The exact date of the meeting has not yet been decided and will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Stankes were entertained at dinner Sunday in the Glenn Peterson home.

LeRoy and Betty Ann Williams and the Nolan children on Maple Road are ill with the measles.

Mrs. Margaret Morrison spent Monday in Chicago.

Mrs. G. W. Bush is much improved from a recent illness.

Mrs. Ione Farr of Orland Park was a guest Sunday in the home of Mrs. C. F. Haley.

January 15th Is The Deadline

Nigel D. Campbell, Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Illinois, reminded taxpayers in this district today that January 15 is the deadline for filing original or amended 1944 Declarations of Estimated Tax and for paying installments on previously-filed declarations for 1944.

Nearly all farmers are required to file original 1944 declarations by January 15. Most other taxpayers, who were required to file 1944 declarations did so last April, but those who underestimated their tax by more than 20 per cent should file amended declarations to avoid the penalty for substantial underestimates. January 15, likewise, is the last day for paying all installments due on 1944 declarations.

Mr. Campbell also called attention to the new provision of law which permits a taxpayer to file his annual income tax return for 1944 and pay the tax due on the return by January 15, instead of filing or paying "estimated tax" otherwise due at that time. Taxpayers availing themselves of this special provision will be saved the double duty of filing and paying "estimated tax" on January 15 and filing and paying on the annual return March 15. March 15 remains the regular deadline for filing 1944 annual returns and 1945 Declarations of Estimated Tax.

For detailed information and forms, Mr. Campbell invited taxpayers to call at his offices in the United States Court House, Chicago, outlying districts in Chicago, and in most of the major towns of this district.

Cook County Treasurer Sets Collection Record

County Treasurer Victor L. Schlaeger making his annual report on collection of taxes, current and delinquent, for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, says collections should run well over \$200,000,000 another record. The total extensions or amounts set for collection were \$224,416,452.

Inability to collect more of this extension, hinges on several conditions, says Schlaeger. One is the fact that valuations of property, taxes, had been reduced from an estimated \$100,000,000 to fifteen million after the extension was made. Another is that many of the 50,000 taxpayers who received reductions, did not pay their bills until after the fiscal year ended.

Collection of delinquent taxes by Schlaeger ran close to \$10,000,000. Of this amount, \$7,195,363, was collected through foreclosure sales \$1,500,000 came in through Scarda Act proceedings or receivership action and \$1,143,576 was collected through the levy department in delinquent personal property taxes. Inheritance tax collections were \$3,699,124.

Schlaeger says if the delay caused by tax reduction hearings and insufficient help had not slowed up his work, he believes collections would have reached 90 percent of the total levy.

The Scavenger Act, held constitutional, will be another avenue for collecting delinquent taxes and Schlaeger says he will put that in motion next year.

To Review Draft Classification

In accordance with a directive received from national selective headquarters, Col. Paul G. Armstrong, state director, has ordered Illinois local boards to review the classifications of all agriculturally deferred registrants ages 18 through 25 years and have such registrants given preinduction physical examinations.

"All Class II-C registrants ages 18 thru 25 years," Colonel Armstrong states, "with the exception of those previously rejected or found qualified for limited military service only, will be forwarded to the induction station for preinduction physical examination. If any such registrant is found acceptable for service, the local board will determine whether he will be reclassified as available for military service or his deferment continued because of his critical need in his agricultural occupation. Appeal rights will, of course, exist in any case of reclassification."

"While the new directive is not considered a 'blanket order' to reclassify all II-C registrants of this age group, local boards have been informed that they must give consideration to the President's statement that such registrants are deemed less necessary in agriculture than in the armed forces and that boards must immediately apply stricter standards in determining whether or not a farm registrant should be deferred."

"Since each agricultural registrant's case must be considered on its individual merits, no estimate can be made of how many Illinois farm registrants under 26 years of age will be inducted under the new directive."

"Physical examinations of these farm registrants are expected to start at the induction station on January 15 and it is felt that the bulk of them will be found physical-

ly fit for military service. Calls for these special examinations will be issued over and above the regular preinduction examination calls and will be gauged according to the volume capacity of the induction station."

County Commissioner Appropriates For Bangs Veterinarian

Commissioner William Busse has informed the committee appointed by the Cook County Farm Bureau that an appropriation has been included in the county budget for cooperation with the State Department of Animal Industry to employ a veterinarian for Cook County to begin the job of testing dairy cows for Bangs' disease.

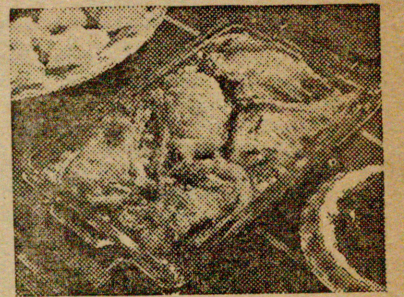
Recently a committee composed of Fred Pfingsten, John Freise, Howard Bingham, Charles Erickson, Arthur Maue, Wm. A. Lister, Louis W. Pohlman, Daniel H. Bergman and Farm Adviser C. A. Hughes, appeared before the budget committee and presented the case of the Cook County dairymen. It was pointed out that under Grade A regulations of the Health Commissioner Bundensen could enforce the provision which requires that milk sold in the city of Chicago must come from herds known to be free of Bangs' disease or from a county that is operating under the Live Stock Disease Control Program. There are probably less than 1 per cent of the herds in Cook County that have been tested for Bangs' Disease and obviously it is not probable that any percentage of herds will test voluntarily. After the presentation of the farmers' committee, Commissioner Busse stated, "I am in favor of this program." All of commissioners in the county were in support of the farmers request.

"Under the Disease Control Program there are a number of plans that farmers may elect after having tested their herds the first time," states Farm Adviser C. A. Hughes. "The first plan, which is the most stringent, provides that reactors shall be sent to the yards and all additions to the herd must be tested. This is a plan that we would advise only when there are no reactors or a very few in the herd."

Plan two provides that all reactors except calves under thirty months of age which were vaccinated between four and eight months of age, are to be sent to the yards and all additions to the herd must be tested.

The third plan which is the most liberal allows the dairy man to keep his reactors in the herd and not to sell them into another herd except by permission when this other herd is known to be infected. There is no indemnity for the first test and the only indemnity allowed is after all the reactors have been taken out of the herd after the first test.

Freezer Locker Foods Make Zestful Duet



On those "just home from town" evenings, try a baked corn and pork chop casserole, the Country Cooking editor of Capper's Farmer advises housewives.

"It's an appetizing combination of two foods you've frozen in your locker or canned this last season," she writes. "Catsup with corn gives the casserole color and a palate-teasing quality."

Corn and Pork Chop Casserole
5 pork chops 1 c. dried celery
Fat 1 c. soft bread crumbs
Salt and pepper 1/2 c. tomato catsup
2 c. whole kernel 1 tsp. salt
corn

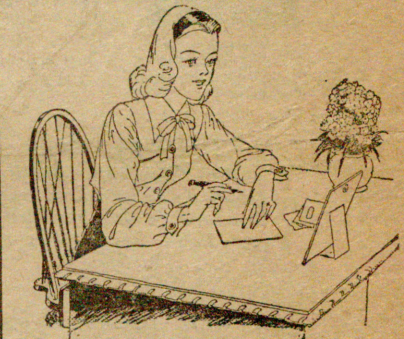
Have chops cut 1/2 inch thick; season and brown well. Combine remaining ingredients and place in greased casserole. Top with browned chops, pressing in slightly. Bake in moderate oven (350°F.) about 45 minutes or until chops are done. Serves 5.

Besides adding something temptingly different to the family bill of fare, this dish gives a tantalizing aroma and a bright new look to the table, the Capper's Farmer expert points out.

BOOST G. I. MORALE WITH GOOD LETTERS, GIRLS ARE URGED

WRITE the kind of letters that will make your G.I. Joe, service brothers, sisters, cousins, friends say "That sounds just like Jeanie!" is the advice Holly Miller gives teen age girl readers of her column in Capper's Farmer.

"You'll be lifting morale and at the same time having yourself a good time," she declares in the nationally-circulated farm magazine. "The trick is to write as if you were talking to the person. If he or she were there, you'd probably tell how you thought you'd die try-



ing not to laugh backstage when the villain's beard dropped off just as he raised his gun in the second act of the Junior Class play. And how he covered it by saying 'That was the quickest shave I ever had.'

"Put in a little spice. Give your correspondent the low-down on the latest gossip, if you will, but keep a light unmalicious touch. For a good will bonus, tuck in snapshots, clippings, cartoons.

"As to the actual letter, remember it's the only tangible evidence the receiver has of you. You'll want it to look neat and legible. Use nice paper, V-mail if it's to go overseas. Your special G.I. Joe will probably like the faint scent obtained by sprinkling bath powder or sachet in the bottom of your stationery box."

India Curry Sauce Peps Up Cauliflower



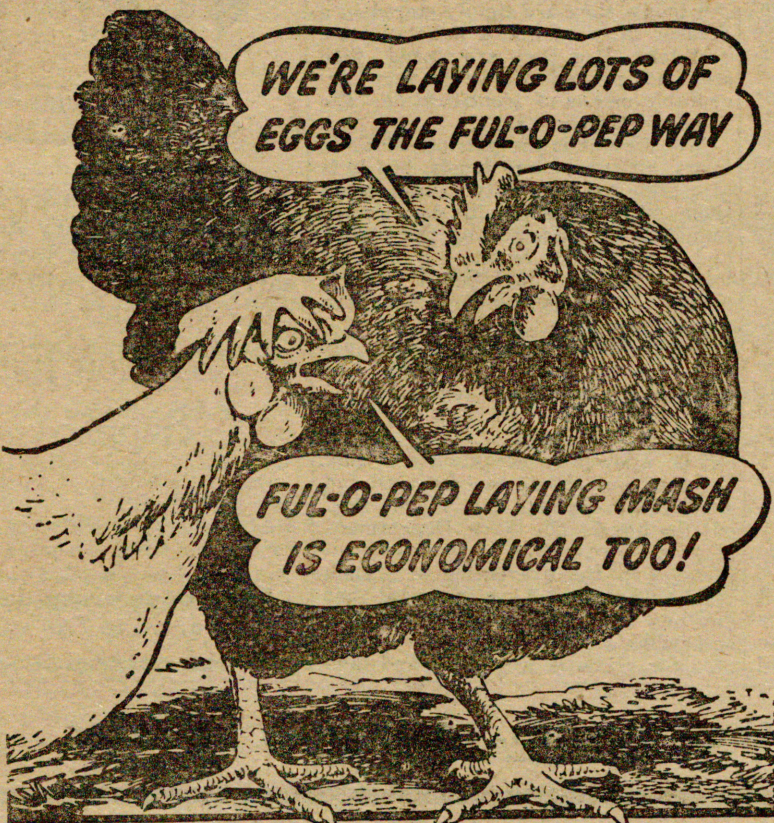
Crown a plump head of cauliflower with teasing India curry sauce containing onion and apple and you'll add unsuspected newness and pleasure to a cold-weather meal.

That's a tip to home-makers given by Marjorie Griffin, Home Editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer. Parsley or watercress garnish will give color, she says, while curry powder and tabasco sauce will pep up the blandest cauliflower.

India Curry Sauce
2 tbsp. butter 1 tbsp. curry powder
4 tbsp. minced onion 2 tbs. flour
4 tbsp. diced apple 1 c. cauliflower water
1/2 tsp. salt Parsley

Melt butter and add onion and apple; cook slowly until tender. Add salt, curry powder and flour, stirring until well blended. Slowly add cauliflower cooking water, stirring constantly. Cook over low heat about 7 minutes. Pour sauce over a head of cooked cauliflower, garnish with parsley, and serve at once. Serves 6.

"You'll be amply repaid for the time and ingenuity used in planning appetite-whetting dishes such as this," Miss Griffin writes.



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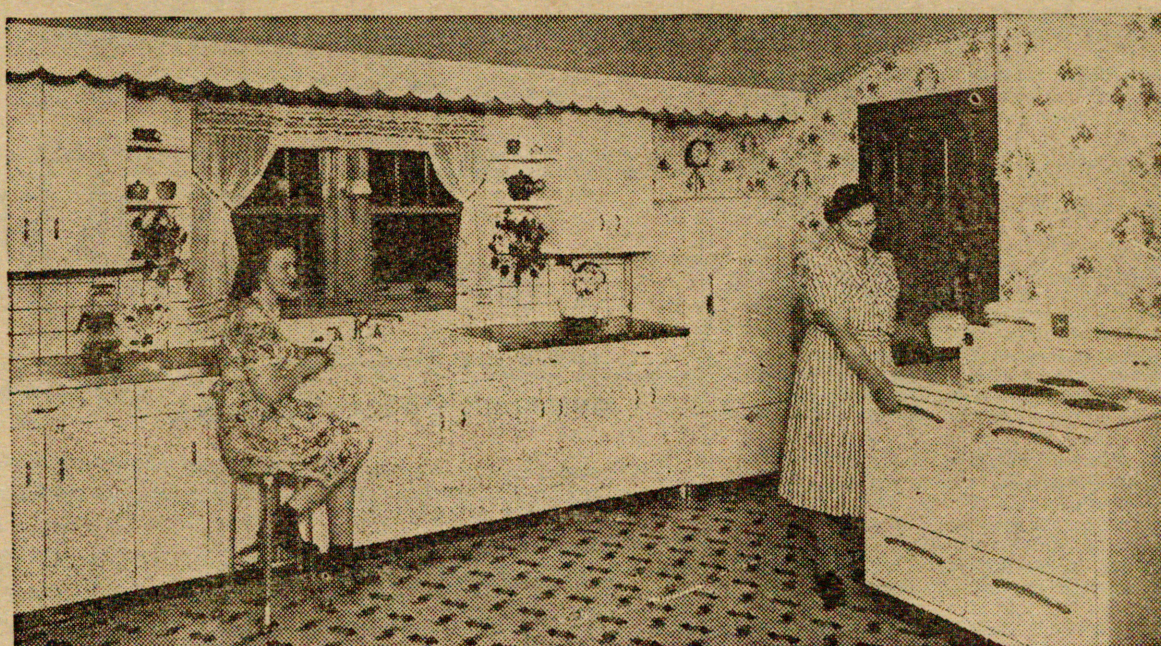
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Postwar Kitchen Remodeling Will Save Home-Maker Steps



Ideas adaptable to many postwar homes are shown in above Story County, Iowa, farm kitchen. Mrs. John Holst pops a pan of bread into electric range oven, while daughter, Mrs. Alvin Bowker, works comfortably at sink. The Holsts remodeled their kitchen just before the war.

IN REMODELING a farm kitchen for efficiency and step-saving, there are three work centers to be placed—storage, preparation and cleaning, cooking and serving, according to Marjorie Griffin, Home Editor of Capper's Farmer.

"Sometimes a fourth—planning—is included," she writes in the Rural Home department of the nationally-circulated farm magazine. "The ideal working order is left to right."

"The refrigerator, with adjacent cabinet, is the pivot of the storage center. This is advisedly placed near the back door in order that perishable foods can be put away as brought in, without crossing the room several times. The sink should be about middle way between the refrigerator and range. It is used while preparing food as well as when washing dishes. The range has advantages located near the eating nook or dining room."

No kitchen plan can meet the needs of all farm families, Miss Griffin points out. The type of farming, size of family, extra help, climate, personal habits, likes and dislikes make it necessary to vary the arrangements. In remodeling, size of rooms, structure of house, thickness of walls, number of openings and lighting will also cause variations. Basic kitchen arrangements for farm homes are in three patterns: U-shaped, L-shaped and corridor type. The U-shaped type often is seen in a medium or small room; the L-shaped plan is practical in a large kitchen; corridor arrangement fits into narrow, larger space, she says.

NEW LENOX

Dolores Anderson
Tel. 3651

Somewhere in France
Sunday, Dec. 17, 1944

Dear Mr. Semmler:

Here's just a short note of thanks to you, your paper and all of the good folks of New Lenox. First of all I'd like to say that I haven't been getting my copies of the News Bulletin lately but that its understandable because of my having been on (censored) from my regular unit and then too all of the Christmas mail has sure slowed things down. Many, many thanks for your efforts. I've been a couple of months with a Postal Regulating Section that handles huge amounts of mail. It's just for the rush and afterwards I'll be back in the ack-ack business once again. While I've been here I've had a real opportunity to see that the folks back home haven't forgotten the boys overseas. I'd like to thank the United Service club for the fudge they sent. The boys and myself made short work of it. A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all.

Sincerely,
Orial F. Holt

New Lenox Service Club:
Dear Friends:

Another Christmas is almost upon us and I have just received another box of your delicious fudge. Of all candy I believe fudge is my favorite, and you have again hit the spot. I have had no trouble in finding someone to help me eat it, in fact when I opened it here in the tent I was lucky to break even. As you know I am in the Marianas, feel fine and am working steady. The climate here has improved quite a bit over what it was when we came. Now it's the dry season at least that is what they call it, and we are glad of it. The natives here are of a better class, and speak good English. They ride water buffalos and use them for pulling two wheeled carts. Quite a sight when you first see it. They load the carts with all that will stick on. Otherwise this island is much the same as the others we visited.

Thanks again for the candy it really was appreciated, and the best part was it came from home!

Best wishes,
Sincerely yours,
Tom Stout, CM 2-c

Jan. 2, 1945
New Lenox Service Club:

Dear Friends:

It seems as though I am a little late in expressing my thanks for the delicious box of fudge which I received, but as the old saying is, it's better late than never. So I really want to thank you as I know how much I appreciated it, and know that all other fellows who received their box of candy also appreciated it as much as I.

Your wonderful organization has really done good things and it will be remembered by the fellows who are in the army. Wishing your organization the best of luck thru out the year of 1945.

I remain,
Cpl. Bernard Ruettiger, Camp Gruber, Okla.

The New Lenox Garden club met Thursday Jan. 4 at the home of Mrs. Melvin Whitaker. The meeting was opened with the chairman Mrs. Fred Scheel in charge. Mrs. Frank Vally led in the Pledge to the Flag, and Mrs. Arthur Papke was the speaker of the afternoon. Her chosen topic was Planning the Garden Now. Tea was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Geo. Koeller Jr. The next meeting of the garden club will be held February 1.

Billy Bethell was honored at a party in celebration of his birthday last Tuesday night, in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bethell. Games were played thru out the evening and prizes were awarded the winners. Refreshments were served buffet style from a long table covered with a white linen cloth, and centered with a birthday cake. Billy received a gift from the group. Guests were the members of the Young Peoples Society of the Ridgewood Baptist church in Joliet and also Dick Swanson of New Lenox.

Mr. Jesse L. Strasberg of Williamsport, Penn. spent Sunday here with his brother Earl Strasberg and family.

Ted Hobson Sr. was taken seriously ill last Friday in his home and was removed to Silver Cross hospital where he is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. W. B. Mooney who has been seriously ill in Silver Cross hospital for the past two weeks is reported recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bethell entertained in their home at a New Years dinner. Their guests were: Miss

Mary Fullerton of Joliet, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bormet and family of Lockport, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ullrich and children of Monee and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bethell.

Mrs. Wm. Brickler is in Joliet caring for her daughter Mrs. Crawford Gear who has been ill the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bethell and family were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ullrich and sons in Monee.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hobson and son Peter Frederick of Chicago visited here Sunday with relatives.

Charlyn Rae Gillette daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Gillette is ill with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Len Anderson and children were visitors Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Roth and children in Orland Park.

The New Lenox Unit of the Will County Home Bureau met December 29 in the home of Mrs. Ivan Archibald. Mrs. Davis Gougar, chairman presided. The secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Glenn Batson, gave her reports. Mrs. Duronda Crall, Will County Home Advisor gave the major lesson on Remodeling Clothes and Clothing in Relation to the Individual. The annual Christmas gift exchange was enjoyed. Mrs. Archibald was assisted in the serving by Mrs. Elmer Seivert and the misses Evelyn and Clarabelle Reiter. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Davis Gougar Friday afternoon Jan. 26 with Mrs. Harv Stevenson as the assisting hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ruettiger and son Denny of Joliet were visitors Wednesday nite of Mr. and Mrs. Len Anderson and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Gillette and family were dinner guests last Thursday nite of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Fugett in Joliet.

Rev. and Mrs. A. W. Otis opened their home in the Methodist parsonage on Sunday afternoon and evening for their annual Open House gathering. They were assisted in sponsoring the affair by the Woman's Society of Christian Service. The program during the afternoon hours was as follows: Violin solo by Miss Dorothy Rowe, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Edw. Seivert; Several selections by the girls glee club of the New Lenox grade school, Mrs. Homer Blair of Joliet sang a group of songs, The Lord is My Shepard, Loves Old Sweet Song and Song to You; Mrs.

Geo. Doig gave a reading The Christmas Tree, Mrs. Howard Ayres entertained with a piano solo and Miss Rachael Ann Bridges sang The Holy City.

Refreshments were served buffet style from a large table covered with a white linen cloth and a center piece of Pine branches and pine combs. White candelabra decorated either end of the table. Mrs. Mary Hanson and Mrs. Opal Flotow poured.

The program for the evening was opened with group singing of sacred songs led by Mrs. Arthur Papke. Mrs. Geo. Doig entertained with a reading, The Selfish Giant, by Oscar Wilde; and Mrs. Howard Ayres entertained with a piano solo. Following the program, refreshments were served with Mrs. Albert Schmuhl and Mrs. Arvid Swanson assisting, the hostesses, and Mrs. Fred Francis and Mrs. Archie Corp poured.

Mrs. Fred Francis Jr. and Mr. Lawrence Bitterman and son Larry of Wilmington were supper guests Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wirth were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Scherpe at their home in Chicago.

The senior scouts of Boy Scout troop No. 60 and their friends enjoyed a party in the home of their leader Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stevens Saturday nite. Bunco was played and prizes were awarded to Miss Doris Jahnke, Miss Janet Mooney, Jack Sargent and Joe Gougar. A midnight supper was served at one long table covered with a white cloth and decorated in blue and white with white candelabras and favors decorated each place. Guests were: the misses Doris Jahnke and Mary Alice Bannon of Joliet the misses Mable and Janet Mooney. Also Edw. Mooney, Joe Gougar, Herbert Sennings and Jack Sargent.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Kasper of Lockport visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Len Anderson and children. Cpl. Eddie Stevens has arrived in France according to word received by his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stevens.

Boy Scout troop No. 60 won two basketball games from Mokena last week. The senior scouts won by a score of 60-31, and the juniors won over Mokena also by a large score.

The New Lenox Scouts will travel to Mokena Wednesday nite January 17 where they will engage in two games at the Mokena grade school gym.

Sgt. Fred C. Francis, 26 son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Francis and husband of Mrs. Helen B. Francis of Wilmington was recently awarded the air medal for meritorious achievement in aerial flight while participating in sustained operational activities against the Nazis, it was announced at a 15th airforce base in Italy.

"Bye Bye Bonds" An Increasing Daily Complaint

"Bye Bye Bonds" is becoming an ever increasing complaint of burglarly victims since the inception of the Treasury policy which permits redemption of war bonds on an over the counter basis at any bank. The professional burglar and thief has been quick to discover that with the stealing of some identification, a few hours practice on simulating the signature readily turns the stolen bonds into cash. It is the belief of this department that if the public in general was aware of the general trend, they would use more care in protecting their bonds around the home. Too often today, they are simply stored in a dresser drawer or in a hallway desk, and very often they are stored with what has proven to be a very acceptable means of identification, the family ration books.

We know it is the patriotic duty of every citizen to buy bonds, but it is also their patriotic duty to safe guard them. Stolen bonds will be almost immediately redeemed by the thief and this thievery results not only in loss to the individual but it results in loss to the government and the war effort.

Bonds should be safe guarded just as completely and as carefully as currency in a home. They should be kept safely under lock and key and if this is not possible, they should not be allowed to accumulate in any one spot, but should be separated and deposited in various safe places thru out the house. The State Department of Crime Prevention is primarily interested in the prevention of crime and their studies have indicated that any new type of loot which is easily accessible actually produces criminals for crime is a product and men

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Will Recognition Of Argentina Benefit The U. S.?

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Authority on Latin American
Affairs; Author of "The Five
Arrows" and "Falange"

DR. WEIL OPENS: A policy of blows such as non-recognition, coupled with sanctions and with help to the democratic forces by commitments, money and arms, might have effectively unseated the Argentine semi-fascist dictatorship. But we granted recognition—once granted, it cannot be withdrawn—and sanctions are inapplicable since Britain refuses to participate. So instead we wage a war of pinpricks. American ships are forbidden to enter Argentine ports, but they carried only a small percentage of U.S.-Argentine trade anyway. Argentine gold in the U.S. is frozen, but Argentina has large unusable dollar credits anyway. Diplomatic relations are suspended—not broken—and verbal blasts are released periodically, but Allied purchases go on and the U.S. Army and Navy missions continue to train Argentina's armed forces. America's attitude, the generals claim, proves anew that she is the traditional enemy of Argentine sovereignty. Why not take this psychological weapon away from them by dropping half measures and restoring normal relations? Anti-Yankee sentiments are a main ideological basis of the dictatorship. A change in our economic policy would kick this prop out from under the generals and win the friendship of the Argentine people. It is a sad fact that the Good Neighbor Policy has remained meaningless in respect to Argentina. Implementing it by measures such as those advocated in my book would ultimately destroy, not help, the dictatorship.

MR. CHASE CHALLENGES: Why can't recognition, once granted, be withdrawn? We recognized the regimes of Hitler and Hirohito, once. And why must our diplomatic war of self-defense against the treachery of Argentine fascism continue to be a series of pinpricks? We are really a powerful nation, and when necessary we can follow up a pinprick attack with something heavier. The only way to counter the anti-Yankee propaganda of the Berlin-Madrid-Buenos Aires Axis is to make it crystal clear to the people of Argentina and their neighbors that we mean to give no quarter to fascism—the scourge of all peoples.

DR. WEIL REPLIES: Under international law, recognition isn't approval. Acceptance of a fact cannot be repudiated. But what would we achieve by now resorting to "heavier" measures advocated by the Chases and Winchells? Declaring war on Argentina would explode the Good Neighbor Policy all over Latin America. Consider, too, that Britain has just offered Argentina a four-year renewal of the meat-buying contract! If we mean "to give no quarter to fascism", why single out Argentina while maintaining good relations with dictators like Franco, Vargas and Trujillo? Instead of half measures and "expediency", can't we adopt one consistent world-wide policy of effectively helping the democratic forces?

MR. CHASE OPENS: Our nation is at war with the Axis. Our primary responsibility at this time, therefore, is towards the war—and to the American and Allied soldiers who are dying. The present government of Argentina is a fascist government aiding the Axis in its war against the United Nations. Therefore, our duty is to take every measure to end Argentina's aid to Hitler. Non-recognition weakens Argentina's contributions to the Wehrmacht. I am for non-recognition. Britain's economic dealings with the Peron Junta aids Argentine fascism. I am for great American pressure on our British Allies to end this economic aid to Argentine fascists. If the Argentine people (who did not elect the putsch-created fascist government) are truly anti-fascist, they will welcome a tough policy towards their fascist oppressors. If they are satisfied with fascism in Argentina, then they, like the Germans and the Japs, are our enemies. I believe they are our friends. I don't see how proposals to treat the Peron-Farrell Junta with kindness will weaken fascism in Argentina or endear us to anti-fascists in Argentina. Appeasement of Argentine fascism—which is exactly what a policy of recognition would mean—would make a mockery of the Good Neighbor Policy. We cannot ask other Latin American nations to make sacrifices in this anti-fascist war if we appease fascism in Argentina.

DR. WEIL CHALLENGES: Having already recognized the regime, non-recognition isn't the issue. Our present policy is "non-intercourse"—we are not on speaking terms. Can that result in "weakening Argentina's contribution to the Wehrmacht"? It only serves to convince Argentines that the Good Neighbor Policy, promising non-interference in domestic matters, is hypocritical. Sumner Welles rightly advocates adoption of Estrada's Doctrine: automatic recognition of governments that come to power by extra-constitutional means; accepting "the fact that supreme executive authority . . . is lodged in the hands of certain individuals". "It is far easier," says he, "to maintain understanding between peoples when governments remain on speaking terms."

MR. CHASE REPLIES: Our present policy towards fascist Argentina was taken as a military defense measure—not because we want to interfere with Argentina's internal affairs. Democratic Argentines know this; we should not be concerned because fascist Argentines don't like it. Estrada's Doctrine just does not happen to apply to this war. It is one thing to recognize a De Gaulle or a Tito government which is born in an extra-constitutional battle against fascism. It is quite another thing to recognize a fascist Argentine regime forced upon—I insist—an unwilling people. And just how did diplomatic relations enable us to maintain an understanding with the German people before the war?

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The Green Garden Home Bureau will meet today at the home of Mrs. Wm. Schramm. Mrs. Fred Piepenbrink will entertain the Frankfort-Mokena unit at her home next Tuesday evening, Jan. 16. Persons planning to attend are asked to notify Mrs. Edw. Vollrath today or tomorrow.

Shirley Weichbrodt, pres., Sherrill Weichbrodt, vice president; Lucille Topp, secretary, Alan Hedges, treasurer and Roger Hedges, pianist were installed Sunday evening at the regular meeting of the Youth Fellowship of St. Peter's Evang. church. The pastor Rev. Erich Bizer was the installing officer. Shirley Weichbrodt

led the devotions and spoke on missionaries in China. Lois Weitendorf spoke on missionaries in Japan, and Rev. Bizer spoke further on the subjects. A social meeting will be held Wednesday evening, January 17.

Mrs. Peter Knater received word of the death of her brother in law, Dr. D. A. Orth, prominent Chicago physician and surgeon who died Thursday Services were held Monday at the chapel of Columbus Hospital where he had been president of the staff since 1920. Survivors in the immediate family are his widow the former Margaret Cadden of Frankfort, a daughter Francis and two sons Daniel and Robert.

Mrs. Bertha Nieland, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schramm and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hartung attended the Ice Frolics in Chicago last Sunday.

Tech. Sgt. Virgil Lorenzen has been ill in an army hospital at Barksdale Field, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bruggeman's New Year's dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Elsner and Mr. and

Mrs. John Weitendorf.

The regular monthly meeting of the WSCS of the Frankfort Methodist church was held Thursday afternoon. Devotions were led by the pastor in the absence of Mrs. Frank Heisner. Mrs. Blanche Mitchell read the yearly report. The women are collecting rags to be made into carpets and donations will be appreciated. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Georgia Campbell and Mrs. Henry Mark. The next meeting will be held at the church Feb. 1.

Members of the Methodist Youth Fellowship and friends enjoyed a social meeting at the church parlors Thursday evening. Betty Mark presided at a brief business meeting and tuned the program over to Wilma Mark who was in charge of the music and recreation. Refreshments were served by Robt. Erdman and Clinton Mark. The next social meeting will be held Feb. 1.

The January meeting of the Women's Guild of St. Peter's Ev church and the regular monthly coffee which is served to the public has been postponed from Thursday, Jan. 25 to Wednesday, January 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lenhardt were married 30 years on Tuesday, Jan. 9.

Miss Ethel Herman of Joliet visited Miss Annette Kohlhausen during the holidays.

Edwin Bettenhausen is ill at his home in Andros.

Mrs. Harry Voight was hostess to members of the Busy Homemakers unit of the Will County Home Bureau Wednesday afternoon. In the absence of the president and secretary, Mrs. Harold Ebert presided at the meeting and read the secretary's report. Roll call was answered with Post war plans. Following the singing of the National anthem, the major lesson, Clothes, in relation to the Individual was given by the County Home Adviser Mrs. D. Crall. She also conducted a quiz on a Personality Wardrobe. The minor lesson and a talk on public health, was given by Mrs. Voight. Mrs. Crall was presented with a Christmas gift from the group. Mrs. Glenn Neiland was a guest. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. C. Lorenzen, February 7.

Pvt. Orville Schinkowski's address is Fort Bragg, N. Carolina.

Pvt. Harry Miller awarded the Purple Heart for wounds received in Italy has been sent to Auburn, Cal.

where he will undergo surgery following a furlough he expects to spend with his family here soon.

The WSCS of the Frankfort Methodist church will serve the lunch at the Edw. Reichert farm sale Jan. 31.

At an organization meeting held Friday evening at St. Peter's Evangelical church the following officers were named to the official board: president, Christ Hohenstein; vice president, Henry Luhring, corresponding secretary, Fred Heisner; financial secretary, Wesley Hollstein; treasurer, Alvin Harnack; deacons, Geo. Sangmeister; Norman Krumwiede, and Walter Heisner; trustees, chairman Alvin Harnack, Fred Heisner, Wesley Hollstein; Albert Krusemark Jr. and Lester Gay. They were installed at services Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ebert entertained Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hadden, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walsh and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brinker at their home Saturday evening. Cards provided diversion for the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Hadden holding high scores at pinochle. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harnack were hosts to their card club Sunday evening. Honors for scores went to Mrs. Alvin Bruggeman, Edw. Dorband of Blue Island and Mrs. Elmer Batson. A luncheon was served. The next meeting will be held at the Bruggeman home on February 11.

The following is taken from a letter written to Mrs. Irene Haass from her nephew Lt. Darrell Haass, "Hello to you from half way around the world. Yes, I'm over 10,000 miles from little Frankfort on an island in the southwest Pacific. Please don't feel bad about it as frankly it is one of the biggest thrills I've ever had. We are doing a good job of teaching the Japs what war really is, and when we're done I'll be back to pay you a visit. Say hello to all my friends for me, and tell them I'll cut a notch in my carbine for them. As for me, I'm happy and never felt better in my life. The food is good, and I am getting adjusted to living in the tropics."

Evelyn Bruggeman petty officer 2c who is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bruggeman, will report in California after a ten day leave. She will leave for overseas duty.

Capt. Robt. Mitchell has written to his mother, Mrs. Blanche Mitchell, of his safe arrival in England.

Lt. Clarence Klepper of Aberdeen

HOMER

Mrs. Fred Kopelman

The monthly meeting of the Way-side Workers circle of King's Daughters was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Orville Rasmussen. Due to the icy roads and extremely cold weather the attendance was less than usual. A short program was presented by Mrs. Fred Trask. The hostess for the February meeting will be announced later.

The Good Luck Camp of R. N. A. held their annual election of officers at the December meeting in the home of Mrs. Gertrude Hetherwick and resulted as follows: Oracle, Margaret Lister; Vice-oracle, Florence Homering; Past oracle, Florence Parker; Chancellor, Viola Welter; Marshall, Bernette Donahue; Inner sentinel, Anna Welter; Outer sentinel, Gertrude Hetherwick; Manager for 3 years, Mary Welter. Following the business session, games were played with awards going to Mesdames Florence Parker, Marion Homering, Margaret Lister, Mary Konow, Dorothy Lister, Viola Welter, Marilyn Lister and Evelyn Welter. The new officers will be installed Thursday afternoon, January 18. Mrs. Lena Wright, Mrs. Clara Reed and Mrs. Minnie Krohn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carroll celebrated their 23rd wedding anniversary, instead of the 25th as stated last week.

Donald Herrington of the Chicago Theological Seminary had charge of the worship service Sunday morning in the Homer Congregational church.

The Young People's Fellowship group met Sunday evening. Miss June Milton had the topic and Mrs. Lois Bertleson the devotions.

Mr. Henry Burch, who suffered painful injuries to his foot while hunting and was confined in Silver Cross hospital for several days has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reiter held open house in their home Sunday afternoon and evening in observance of their 25th wedding anniversary.

The Young People's Fellowship group enjoyed a Watch party New Year's Eve in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jungles. Games and refreshments were enjoyed.

Charlene Jensen has been ill in her home.

A group of relatives and friends gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wray White to watch the old Year out and the new Year in.

Mrs. Anna Welter, Mrs. John Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Welter returned home from Boston, Massachusetts Thursday. Mrs. Welter underwent two major operations while in Boston. Her condition is reported to be good at this writing.

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Commencing at 12:30 o'clock

Thursday, January 25, 1945

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9 HEAD CATTLE: Swiss Cow fresh before sale day; Swiss Cow milking fresh in Spring; Holstein fresh about 6 weeks; 3 Heifers, 2 years old, fresh next fall; 3 Holstein Bulls, 1 bull 2 years old, 2 coming 1 year old, 1 registered.

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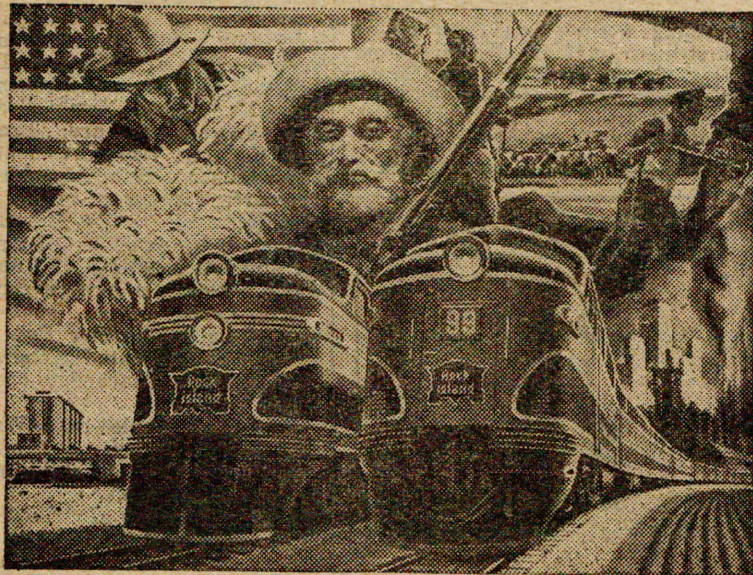
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Official Bank Reports

RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 7
REPORT OF CONDITION of

Bremen State Bank of Tinley Park

COOK COUNTY

Illinois, a member of the Federal Reserve System, at the close of business on December 30, 1944, published in accordance with a call made by the Federal Reserve Bank of this district pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Reserve Act.

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including \$105.44 overdrafts) \$128,265.07
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 654,421.19
Obligations of States and political subdivisions 15,500.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures 163,076.38
Corporate stocks (including \$2,150.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) 2,150.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection 207,833.08
Bank premises owned \$3,257.48, furniture and fixtures \$3,405.02 (Bank premises owned are subject to \$ None liens not assumed by bank) 6,662.50
TOTAL ASSETS \$1,177,908.22

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$396,326.21
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 528,764.86
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) 83,183.95
Deposits of States and political subdivisions 69,790.61
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.) 4,454.41
TOTAL DEPOSITS \$1,082,519.94
Other liabilities 2,500.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below) 1,085,019.94

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital \$50,000.00
Surplus 27,000.00
Undivided profits 7,995.42
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital) 7,892.86
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 92,888.28
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$1,177,908.22
This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$50,000.00

MEMORANDA

U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities 82,866.85
TOTAL 82,866.85
Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law 82,866.85
Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets 317.10
TOTAL 83,183.95
I, Harry A. Mager, Vice-President and Cashier, of the above named bank hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Harry A. Mager

Correct—Attest: Wm. Funk, John T. Boeyer, John C. Funk, Directors.

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)
BREMEN STATE BANK

Tinley Park, Ill.

transmitted in response to call of the Auditor of Public Accounts, pursuant to law and showing condition at the close of business on the 30th day of December 1944.

RESOURCES

Cash and due from banks \$207,743.83
Outside checks and other cash items 89.25
United States Government obligations, direct and or fully guaranteed 654,421.19
Other bonds, stocks and securities 180,726.38
Loans and discounts 128,159.63
Overdrafts 105.44
Banking house \$3,257.48
Furniture and fixtures 3,405.02 \$6,662.50

Grand total resources \$1,177,908.22

LIABILITIES

Capital stock \$50,000.00
Surplus 27,000.00
Undivided profits (Net) 7,995.42
Reserve accounts 10,392.86
Demand deposits 553,756.08
Time deposits 528,764.86

Total of deposits:

(1) Secured by pledge of loans and or investments \$ 82,866.85
(2) Not secured by pledge of loans and or investments 999,653.09
(3) Total deposits \$1,082,519.94

Grand total liabilities \$1,177,908.22

MEMORANDUM: Loans and investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities:

Loans and Investments pledged: U. S. Government obligations direct and or fully guaranteed 82,866.85
Total Pledged (excluding re-discounts) 82,866.85

Pledged:

Against U. S. Government and postal savings deposits 82,866.85
Total Pledged 82,866.85
I, Harry A. Mager, Vice President and Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above agree with the items and amounts shown in the report to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

Harry A. Mager, Vice President and Cashier.

Correct Attest: Wm. Funk, John T. Boeyer, Directors.
State of Illinois, County of Cook, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1945.
Melvin E. Keup,
(Seal) Notary Public

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)
Report of Condition of
FRANKFORD STATE BANK

Frankfort, Illinois

transmitted in response to call of the Auditor of Public Accounts, pursuant to law and showing condition at the close of business on the 30th day of December 1944.

RESOURCES

Cash and due from banks \$294,466.66
Outside checks and other cash items None
United States Govern-

ment obligations, direct and or fully guaranteed 352,600.00
Other bonds, stocks and securities None
Loans and discounts 217,005.27
Overdrafts 35.71
Banking house \$3,600.00
Furniture and fixtures None
Other real estate 3,600.00
Customers' liability under letters of credit None
Customers' liability account of acceptances None
Other resources None

Grand total resources \$867,707.64

LIABILITIES

Capital stock \$25,000.00
Income debentures and or capital notes None
Surplus 25,000.00
Undivided profits (Net) 12,549.64
Reserve accounts None
Demand deposits 473,008.26
Time deposits 328,799.42
Due to banks None

Total of deposits:

(1) Secured by pledge of loans and or investments 801,807.68
(2) Not secured by pledge of loans and or investments 71,891.64
(3) Total Deposits 873,700.00

Dividends unpaid 1,500.00

Other liabilities 1,850.32

Grand total liabilities \$867,707.64

I, John A. Luhring, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above agree with the items and amounts shown in the report made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

John A. Luhring, Cashier
Correct Attest: Frank C. Luhring,
Ben J. Mager, Directors.
State of Illinois County of Will, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1945.
Beulah Kohlman, Notary Public
(Seal)

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)
Report of Condition of
NEW LENOX STATE BANK

New Lenox, Ill.

transmitted in response to call of the Auditor of Public Accounts, pursuant to law and showing condition at the close of business on the 30th day of December 1944.

RESOURCES

Cash and due from banks \$358,119.62
United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed 420,418.00
Other bonds, stocks and securities 3,500.00
Loans and discounts 230,601.94
Overdrafts 155.49
Banking house \$5,500.00
Furniture and fixtures 500.00

Grand total resources \$1,088,795.05

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock 25,000.00
Surplus 10,000.00
Undivided profits (Net) 447.47
Reserve accounts 15,000.00
Demand deposits 551,760.22

Time deposits 410,886.62

Total of deposits:

(2) Not secured by pledge of loans and or investments 962,646.84
(3) Total deposits 962,646.84
Dividends unpaid 212.00
Other liabilities 5,488.74

Grand total liabilities \$1,018,795.05

I, G. F. Krog, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above agree with the items and amounts shown in the report made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

G. F. Krog, Cashier
Correct Attest: Fred A. Francis,
Archie Corp. Directors.
State of Illinois, County of Will, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January 1945.
Dorothy Wirth
(Seal) Notary Public

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)
Report of the condition of
MOKENA STATE BANK

Mokena, Ill.

transmitted in response to call of the Auditor of Public Accounts, pursuant to law and showing condition at the close of business on the 30th day of December, 1944.

RESOURCES

Cash and due from banks \$157,557.41
Outside checks and other cash items None
United States Gov. obligations, direct and or fully guaranteed 635,180.00
Other bonds, stocks and securities 4,100.00
Loans and discounts 228,454.75
Overdrafts 37.01
Banking house \$1,800.00
Furniture and fixtures \$1,250.00

Other real estate 8,050.00

Customers' liability under letters of credit None

Customers' liability account of acceptances None

Other resources None

Grand total resources \$1,028,379.17

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock \$25,000.00
Income debentures and or capital notes None
Surplus 5,000.00
Undivided profits (Net) 3,890.29
Reserve accounts 25,000.00
Demand deposits 568,092.52
Time deposits 399,604.45
Due to banks None

Total of deposits:

(1) Secured by pledge of loans and or investments \$75,743.75
(2) Not secured by pledge of loans and or investments 891,953.22
(3) Total deposits 967,696.97

Bills payable None

Re-discounts None

Dividends unpaid 959.00

Other liabilities 832.91

Grand total liabilities \$1,028,379.17

MEMORANDUM:

Loans and investments pledged to Secure Liabilities:

(a) U. S. Government obligations direct & or fully guaranteed \$79,000.00
Total pledged (excluding re-discounts) 79,000.00
Pledged:

(a) Against U. S. Government and postal savings deposits \$79,000.00
Total Pledged \$79,000.00

I, Everett J. Cooper, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above agree with the items and amounts shown in the report made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

Everett J. Cooper, Cashier
Correct Attest: George C. Voick,
Emil P. Krapp, Directors.
State of Illinois, County of Will, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of January, 1945.
Lydia M. Baudry,
(Seal) Notary Public

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)
Report of Condition of
ORLAND STATE BANK

Orland Park, Ill.

transmitted in response to call of the Auditor of Public Accounts, pursuant to law and showing condition at the close of business on the 30th day of December 1944.

RESOURCES

Cash and due from banks \$233,961.91
Outside checks and other cash items 1,093.47
United States Government obligations, direct and/or fully guaranteed 404,000.00
Other bonds, stocks and securities 19,009.00
Loans and discounts 227,180.01
Overdrafts 74.29
Banking house \$5,022.00
Furniture and fixtures 1.00
Other Real Estate 2.00
Customers' liability under letters of credit None
Customers' liability account of acceptances None
Other resources 2,337.58

Grand Total Resources \$892,681.26

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock \$35,000.00
Income debentures and or capital notes None

Surplus 14,000.00

Undivided profits (Net) 422.24

Reserve accounts 650.00

Demand deposits 507,539.72

Time deposits 325,001.55

Due to banks None

Total of deposits:

(2) Not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments \$832,541.27
(3) Total deposits 832,541.27
Dividends unpaid 732.00
Other liabilities 9,335.75

Grand Total Liabilities \$892,681.26

I, Geo. E. Gee, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that the items and amounts shown above agree with the items and amounts shown in the report made to the Auditor of Public Accounts, State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

Geo. E. Gee, Cashier
Correct Attest: Ray W. Doctor, W. R. Schussler, Jr., Directors.
State of Illinois, County of Cook, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of January 1945.
Eloise Knight,
(Seal) Notary Public

NEW LENOX

The infant son of Pvt. and Mrs. Roy Minger was christened Roy Alvin, Jr., at services held at 12 o'clock noon Sunday in the St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran church in Joliet. Sponsors were: Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Walsh, brother and sister in law of Mrs. Minger, and Mrs. Howard Woelfel of Joliet, cousin of Pvt. Minger. Following the christening a dinner was served in the home of the baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Walsh, and guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Woelfel and Miss Dorothy Woelfel of Joliet; Mrs. Edith Newton of Mokena; Mr. J. O'Brien of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Walsh and Nancy; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pfaff, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pfaff, Mrs. Ovid Maples and son Richard; Mr. Albert Minger of Frankfort. Due to illness the baby's grandmother, Mrs. Albert Minger and Mrs. Augusta Weber also of Frankfort were unable to attend. The baby received many lovely gifts. Upon request of his daddy Pvt. Minger, the baby wore the ribbon for overseas combat awarded his father and sent him recently. Pvt. Minger is stationed on the island of Morotai in the Duach East Indies.

Corwin McClain, Sr., has been ill in his home for the past several days. Mrs. Roy Minger has received the Rifle and Machine gun medals sent her recently from her husband, Pvt. Roy Minger who is stationed in the Dutch East Indies. Pvt. Minger was awarded these medals for expertness in Rifle and Machine gunnery, and he has also been awarded the ribbon for overseas combat service, which he sent to his infant son Roy Alvin, Jr. In the package he recently sent to his wife were some Japanese articles and pictures.

Nancy Stephenson daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stephenson, Cedar Road, is confined to her home with whooping cough.

The New Lenox Athletic club will sponsor a pinocle party in the Emily hall Saturday night, January 20. Cash prizes will be awarded, and refreshments will be served. The following committee is in charge: Harlow Jensen, Louis Hoffman, Luke Boynton, Christ Kruspe, Milton Harnack, and Eugene Anderson.

Chester Danielson, 36, of Joliet formerly of New Lenox, died in St. Joseph's hospital Sunday morning at 4 o'clock following a brief illness. Mr. Danielson underwent an appendectomy a week ago and was improving until last Friday when his condition became worse. He is survived by his wife, the former Audrey Hoffman, formerly of New Lenox one son, Ronald of Hammond, Ind., his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Danielson, of Omaha, Neb., one brother Wesley with the U. S. Army. Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 o'clock from the Wunderlich funeral home and the Rev. E. W. Frenk officiated. Burial was made in the Woodland Memorial cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Carlson is serving on the jury in Joliet this week.

Lincoln Estates

by Audrey Sluiter

Telephone 3235

Miss Mary Hunter of Wheaton, Illinois spent the holidays with her brother James and family.

Mrs. James Hunter is recovering nicely after a two months illness.

Harry Gibson Cox left for Brooklyn, New York, December 27, after spending a 15 day furlough with his parents.

Kathrine Quinn, of Chicago visited with Wilson's, Wednesday.

Gunner 3-c Albert G. Pelinat who spent a 30 day leave with his parents in Chicago, visited his many friends in Lincoln Estates, Thursday. Albert has been in the service for 4 years. He was a former resident of Lincoln Estates.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Anderson and Lorraine of Chicago, visited the Warren Wilson's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lockwood entertained in their home Saturday evening at a pinocle party. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. H. Winger, Mr. and Mrs. C. Becker, Mr. and Mrs. G. Niedringhaus, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. G. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Stringer, Mr. and Mrs. B. Blaylock, Mrs. Pearson, Mrs. B.

Zachos, and Mrs. G. Elderswelt.

Miss Donna McLean entertained at a tea in her home a number of her girl friends, they were: Lois Madsen, Shirley Niedringhaus, Helga Goering and Audrey Sluiter.

Announcement was made New Years Day of the marriage of Miss Ruth Winke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winke of Lockport and Mr. Henry Sluiter of Lincoln Estates. The wedding took place October 3, 1944. Mr. and Mrs. Sluiter are now living in Lincoln Estates.

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ORLAND PARK

by Mrs. S. S. Knox

The Ladies Aid of Christ Lutheran church held their combined Xmas holiday party also business meeting at the home of Mrs. Paul Oelke on Thursday, December 28th. A pot luck luncheon was served at 1 p. m. Three new members were added to the roll. Officers of the Ladies Aid are: Mrs. Augusta Hallinan, President; Mrs. A. Lach, Secretary; Mrs. Harry Rauch, Treasurer.

There were 23 ladies present and a most enjoyable time was had by all exchanging gifts and playing games.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Yunker of Frankfort and Mauritz Holstrom and Hilding Eisberg of Joliet visited at the Arthur Beagley home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Yunker are moving into their new home on Wolf Road.

Many Orland people attended the funeral of Mr. Robert Bechstein at Mokena last Saturday. He was a cousin of Mrs. J. M. Yunker.

Miss LaVern Keuch was pleasantly surprised by a group of young people on her 18th birthday, New Year's Eve.

Fire of unknown origin broke out in a building owned by Geo. Crawford, 159th and 113th Sts., just west of Wolf Rd., last Saturday afternoon. The blaze was seen by passing State police who notified the owner and called the Orland Park Fire Department. When the latter arrived, the building was completely destroyed. The building, a former home, had been used as a garage and Mr. Crawford's son had been fixing his car in it. The car was a total loss also, with no insurance on either it or the building. Mr. and Mrs. Crawford operate a restaurant and drug store in Orland Park.

The Orland Park Home Bureau meeting, scheduled for Tuesday, Jan. 9, has been postponed to Friday, Jan. 19, at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Owen Maue, 108th Ave., near 179th St.

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Karl Ekberg, Mrs. Gustie Hallinan and daughter Dorothy attended the Hollywood Ice Revue of Sonja Henie at Chicago Stadium last Tuesday evening.

Pvt. Bob Arnold, son of Mrs. Paul Oelke is enjoying a furlough this week, the first he has had since entering the service, visiting his wife, and mother. He was stationed at Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Cpl. Wm. Heiting has returned to his duties at Altus, Okla., after enjoying both Christmas and New Year holidays with his wife and parents while on his furlough.

T. Sgt. and Mrs. Cyril Kay were fortunate also to be home for the holidays and the have now returned to Florence, Arizona.

Mrs. Gustie Hallinan entertained her buncle club Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Donald Brennan and Miss Carolyn Brennan left last week for Jacksonville, Fla., to visit Sgt. Wm. T. McAleer, U.S.M.C. who is stationed there.

Mrs. Sherman S. Knox is in receipt of letter and authorization card of re-appointment as general chairman of the Orland Park Red Cross committee for 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Creer celebrated their wedding anniversary Jan. 1, in the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Ben Sayers.

Mrs. Karl Ekberg celebrated her birthday Tuesday evening with dinner and a show in Chicago.

Orland Servicemen's Letters

Mrs. H. Kruspe, Chairman

Dear Mrs. Kruspe: Many thanks to you and the ladies, for your Christmas package. No matter how much we get to eat, it all seems to disappear very rapidly. We appreciate these remembrances. It has been quite awhile since last writing you and many changes have taken place. We see a lot of country, but are not allowed to write about any travels. I always pictured Europe as a much larger place than it really is. Actually it is like so many states fighting among themselves.

We had a swell Thanksgiving dinner, turkey and all the trimmings. This was topped off by apple pie and ice cream for dessert. I cannot talk as enthusiastically for some of the other meals which we get. Will close now with Seasons Greetings to all of you.

Clarence E. Creer.

Dec. 4, 1944

Dear Mrs. Kruspe: Very glad to receive the Xmas package from the Legion Aux. Thanks loads for your thoughtfulness. I am fine, thank you, Sincerely,

Theodore Uthe.

Barksdale, La. Dec. 27, 1944. ServiceMen's Chairman, Orland Park, Ill.

Dear Mrs. Kruspe: I was 'snowed under' by your Christmas Kit which arrived yesterday. I can only dream of a white Christmas, because it's been raining for the past six days. I can't complain though because I flew up to Michigan a few weeks ago and saw some beautiful snow scenes. Lets hope and pray for victory and a Merrier Christmas in 1945. Best wishes to all the ladies of your Unit. Sincerely,

Roy Glahn.

Dear Mrs. Kruspe: I received your Xmas package a few days ago and sure was glad to receive it, my mates also. I wish to thank you for the package. And I appreciate what the Aux. are doing for us fellows. Thanks again. Eugene J. Yunker

MOKENA

Mr. Robt. Regan has recovered from a siege of the flu.

Mrs. Geo. Merrick returned to her duties at Mokena Wall paper plant after having been ill with the flu.

Miss Leona Gillette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Murphy left Wednesday with her grand parents Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Gillette of Marley for Delrose, Cal. where she will make her home with relatives.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Barenz at St. Joseph hospital Joliet, Wednesday morning.

Thru error the news items of the New Lenox PTA was published last week in the Mokena column. We are sorry.

Russel Geuther and David Kropp have enrolled for Saturday classes in the Junior school of the Art Institute in Chicago.

Miss Shirley Nelson entertained the members of her Sunday School class, The Pals, when they met for their regular business and social meeting January 2. Games were enjoyed under the leadership of Shirley Nelson and Dorothy Yunker. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Donna Bueschel, Ruth Shevlin, Donna Williams, Helen Reid, Shirley Lorenz, Phyllis Howes Dorothy Yunker, and one guest Betty McKean were present.

Wm. Roberts who suffered a broken leg when he slipped and fell on some ice in his farm yard, is able to be about on crutches.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Schiek entertained the Evening Pinochle club in their home last evening.

Mrs. Henry Shevlin entertained the Larkin club in her home Tuesday afternoon.

MOKENA BOWLING NEWS

Braun's Recreation 30 18 33405
Mokena State Bank 28 20 35015
Cooper and Hostert 25 23 33881
Mokena Oil Co. 21 27 34189
Mokena Wallpaper Co. 21 27 32724
Robinson's Tavern 20 28 33848

Braun's Recreation increased their lead to two games when they won two games from the Mokena Oilers. Capt. Gus Braun, Werner Miller and Walsh were in form after the first game so the Smokers won handily.

The second place Bankers encountered the fast moving Paperhangers dropping the first two games then rallied to take the last game with a team game of 866. Wally Meek had a 224 in this game.

Robinson's Tavern beat the V. Eighters two games but failed to move out of the cellar as the Paperhangers also won two. Jim Marti had a 216 game and Al Hentch with a 186 were the big factors in the Robin wins.

Next week the Smokers tangle with the second place Bankers, The Oilers will try to improve their standing at the expense of the V. Eighters and the Paperhangers will battle the Robins to keep out of the cellar.

Aux. to VFW News

Attention Auxiliary Members. At the National Encampment there was an amendment made in the ByLaws. Formerly the fiscal year of the Auxiliary was from April 1 to March 31. It is now from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31. Auxiliary dues should be paid by Jan. 1.

Tuesday Jan. 16 the Auxiliary is invited to the home of Mrs. Morry Larson at 1 p. m. to sew lap robes for the boys in the hospital. If you have any woolen or flannel material bring them with you also your own sewing equipment.

Saturday, Jan. 20 the Ladies Aux. to the VFW are having a Card and Buncle party in the Hatch hall Mokena. All games start promptly at 8:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Start the New Year out by enjoying yourself at these parties.

WOMEN'S SERVICE CLUB NEWS

By Mrs. Leslie Clark
At the regular meeting of the Club Monday evening, Jan. 8 the

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following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Leslie Clark; Vice president, Mrs. Chas. Burkhardt; Secretary, Miss Elmira McGovney; Treasurer, Mrs. David McMillan and the following appointments were made:

Mrs. John Marti, chairman, Ways & Means; Mrs. Berle Needham, Publicity; Mrs. John Balaz, charge of coin boxes in business places; and Mrs. Floyd Williams, chairman of the cookie committee for the U. S. O. in Joliet.

A new name has been added to our growing list of men and women in the service of our country. It is that of Lt. Dorothy Hall Needham of the Army Nurse Corp. Dorothy is stationed at Ft. Lewis, Tacoma, Washington.

Pvt. Elwin Schoeneck who left recently for active duty is stationed at Ft. Bragg, North Carolina.

Cpl. Manning 'Bud' Hutson, left Tuesday for Great Lakes after enjoying a well earned leave at home. Bud is a veteran of many of the major battles in the South Pacific, where he served with the 2nd Marine division.

John Janke is now a Sergeant. He is stationed at Ft. Knox, Ky. Congratulations, Johnny!

The following boys have birthdays in February. We are sure they would be glad to receive a greeting from their friends and neighbors: Emory Ahlborn, George Bruhn, Christian Hentsch, John Hentsch, Walter Hentsch, Manning Hutson, Nicholas F. Heimann, Salvador Stanger, Wilber F. Warning and Robert W. Williams.

The Book Club will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. A. Shoop. Mrs. Fred Hentsch is ill in her home.

Letters from our boys:

From Lt. Harold P. Rose who is stationed at Richmond, Va.: Dear Ladies: Santa Claus came this week and brought a grand Xmas package. Everything was useful or good to eat. It was all wrapped so nice, it brought a box full of Xmas Spirit and I should have saved it for the 25th, but curiosity got the best of me and I had to see what was there. Thanks for your remembrance and I want to send the Season's Greetings to all in Mokena. Sincerely, Harold P. Rose.

Shoemaker, Cal., Dec. 29, 1944

Dear Mr. Semmler: To you for the "Bulletin" and to both the Marley and Mokena Ladies Service clubs, for their remembrances at Christmas time, I send my thanks. The way the cards and packages came in, home did not seem so far away. But, from my new address it looks like I will be a lot farther.

Again, thanking all of you on the "Home Front" for your efforts and best wishes for the New Year.

I remain, as always,
Harley Gillette, F 1-c

From Dave McMillan, M.M. 2-C who is stationed at Paducah, Ky.:

Ladies: I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for the Xmas box I received. Everything I know will be useful as for the food, the "Wolves" on this ship are no different than any other. They practically help you open our gifts and etc.

Wishing you much success in all your endeavors during the coming year. I remain

David H. McMillan

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere and heartfelt thanks to my friends, relatives and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy shown me in my sudden and deep bereavement. I also wish to thank Rev. Wm. Riemann for his comforting words, Mrs. Brown for her beautiful songs, Miss Katherine Reid the organist, and all who sent the beautiful floral tributes and who so kindly donated the use of their cars. I also wish to express my deep appreciation to the Knight Templars for their beautiful service.

MRS. R. A. BECHSTEIN

ADOPTION NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS,
County of Will, ss.

To all whom it may concern: Take notice, that on the 9th day of January, A. D. 1945, a petition was filed by William J. Johnson and Edna Johnson in the County Court of Will County for the adoption of a child named William Joel.

Now unless you appear within twenty days after the date of this notice and show cause against such application, the petition shall be taken as confessed and a decree of adoption entered.

Joseph H. Hartley, Clerk
Dated, January 12, 1945.
Emil DiLorenzo, Attorney for Petitioners.

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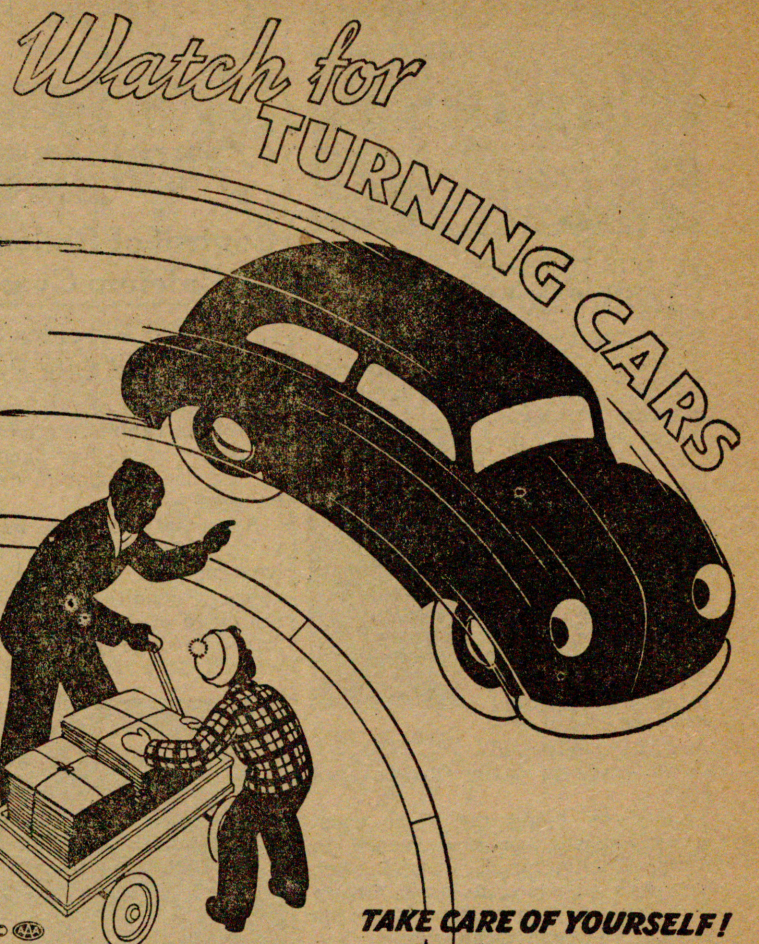
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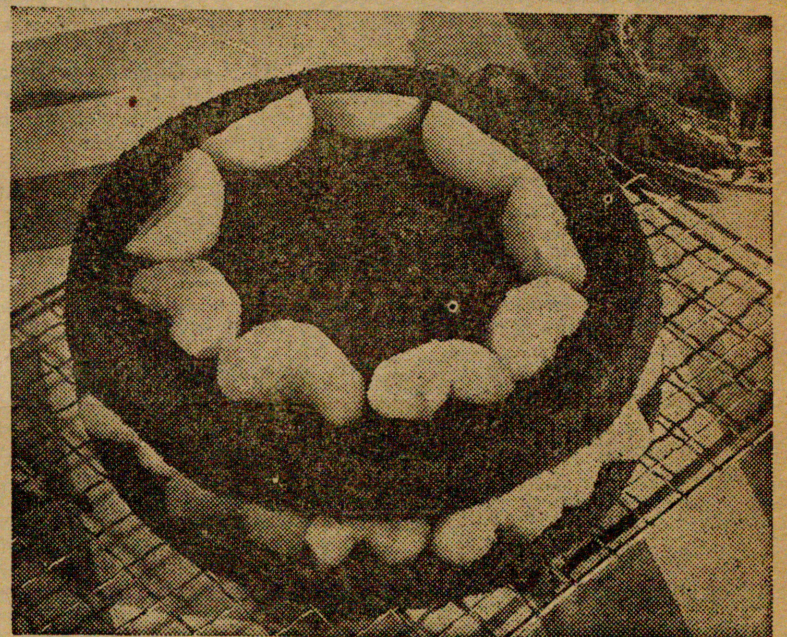
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Issued by CHICAGO MOTOR CLUB

"Watch for Turning Cars" is the subject of the January school poster in the series, "Take Care of Yourself", being distributed to more than 38,000 classrooms in Illinois and Indiana by the Chicago Motor Club. The poster emphasizes pointedly one of the major causes of pedestrian fatalities. Designed to stress the contribution children can make in working together for victory, this poster series has been commended by leading educators throughout the United States. Instruction sheets accompanying the poster enable teachers to use the safety lessons to the best advantage for pupils of all ages in various localities.

Apple-Ginger Shortcake Is Winter Treat



LIKE falling snow and sleigh riding, apples and warm gingerbread are two things that go with cold winter evenings. Marjorie Griffin, Home Editor of Capper's Farmer, points out.

"Combining the two foods gives a color - contrasting, sugar saving Apple-Ginger Shortcake," she tells home-makers in the Country Cooking department of the magazine read by 1,250,000 farm families.

Apple-Ginger Shortcake
¼ c. shortening 1 tsp. baking powder
½ c. sugar 1 tsp. soda
2 eggs, beaten 2 tsp. ginger
¼ c. light molasses 2 tsp. cinnamon
2 c. cake flour ¼ c. boiling water
¼ tsp. salt Apples

Cream the shortening and sugar thoroughly. Add eggs and beat well. Add molasses, then the sifted dry ingredients. Pour in water and beat until smooth. Bake in 2 greased 9-inch round pans at 350° F. for 30 minutes. Peel, core and cut apples in eighths. Drop them in sirup made with equal parts of sugar and water. Cook gently until each piece is

transparent. Remove and drain on a plate. Put apple slices between layers and on top.

Another appetite-tempting winter eve dessert that's easy on the sugar rations is Cracker Pudding.

Cracker Pudding
1 qt. milk 6 tbsp. graham cracker crumbs
4 eggs, beaten Dash of salt
Scald the milk and add finely rolled cracker crumbs. Let cool and add eggs and salt. Pour into custard cups or baking dish. Set in pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven (325°) for 30 minutes. Serve with Lemon Cream Sauce.

Lemon Cream Sauce
2 eggs ¼ c. lemon juice
½ c. sugar 1 c. water
1 tbsp. cornstarch 2 c. cream
Dash of salt 2 tbsp. lemon rind
Beat egg yolks. Add to these the sifted sugar, cornstarch and salt. Stir in lemon juice and water and cook over hot water until thickened. Chill, add cream and stiffly beaten egg whites. Sprinkle with grated rind and nutmeg. Serves 6.

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A QUERY comes in from far away Leyte in the Philippines to this effect—"What is the distance record for the forward pass?"

This is one of the most interesting, and one of the most unproved records in sport. Years ago this forward-passing distance crown was given to Brick Muller of California who was credited with a 65-yard pass against Ohio State, as we recall the faint and faraway details. Brick Muller is still credited with the distance record, registered as 70 yards in many dust-covered games.



Grantland Rice

Later on along the West coast many conceded a new record to Kenny Washington, U. C. L. A. star, who was supposed to have thrown a completed pass for 68 yards against Southern California.

"It was in that neighborhood," Edward Jones of Southern California told me later. "It may have been 65 yards—it may have been 70 yards. It was too long for me. I couldn't tell you the exact distance."

Brick Muller and Kenny Washington were undoubtedly two of the great long-distance passers on the West coast—probably two of the best in football history.

Isbell's Long Peg

The longest completed pass I ever saw came in a game between the professional All Stars against the Green Bay Packers in California several years ago. Green Bay in this game had the ball on its one-yard line with only a few seconds left to play. Cecil Isbell of Green Bay faded back of his goal line and whipped a long, high one through the balmy California air.

Don Hutson was already under way. He galloped down the field with two All Stars alongside. Suddenly Hutson, with his amazing speed, put on full steam, ran away from his guardians and took the ball around the mid-field strip at least 65 yards from the spot where Isbell had thrown the pass. It was an easy touchdown. I happened to be sitting on the Packers bench where I could measure the throw.

All of this still doesn't answer the Leyte sergeant's question. There probably isn't any answer. I was talking this problem over with Eddie Dooley, Dartmouth's long-distance passer.

A 75-Yard Toss

"We had a contest at Dartmouth once," Eddie said, "for distance passing. I was to pass against Swede Oberlander. We had no following wind. In this contest I passed on the carry for 75 yards and Swede hit the 73-yard mark. This is the only occasion I recall where forward passes were accurately measured. But remember, this was not in competition. It may be that someone has passed the ball over 75 yards on a carry, without a favoring wind. I doubt it. Of course, if you have a favoring gale at your back it would not be difficult to pass 80 or 85 yards."

The main trouble is this—if you can pick up a passer, who can heave the ball over 60 yards—how can you find a Hutson or another end who can ramble that far and catch it? I recall, vaguely, one pass in a Dartmouth game against Cornell, where Eddie Dooley, from his own 35-yard line, hit Bjorkman on the shoulder, 65 yards away, and just at the goal line.

The great passers of more modern times have been Sammy Baugh, Sid Luckman and Glenn Dobbs. And it might be mentioned that Cecil Isbell and Arnie Herber were no punks. Two of the most accurate passers I've ever known were Benny Friedman and Sammy Baugh. They were not 65-yard marksmen. But they could hit a gnat in the eye from 10 to 30 yards. So could little Davey O'Brien. There is another great and now forgotten passer.

There is no set or proved record on the longest pass ever thrown in actual competition—a pass that was caught and held. Maybe Brick Muller of California is the man. Maybe Kenny Washington of U.C.L.A. It might be Isbell to Hutson. I know of no other end who could go as far to catch one as Hutson of the Green Bay Packers. I only know that Eddie Dooley could cover 75 yards through the air and Eddie today can hit the 65-yard mark, long after he has been away from the Green of Hanover.

Stars in Service

All this matter about service training, rough life in the barracks, lack of time to play or practice, said to be wrecking skill timing, is about 97 per cent bunk.

It doesn't take any too long to swing back to the matter of touch and timing or to the more important fundamentals. Army sergeants Ferrier and Harrison, and Sammy Snead, late of the navy, have already proved this point in recent golf tournaments.



Control of Rodents By Calcium Cyanide

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THE control of rats, prairie dogs, moles, rabbits, squirrels and other rodent pests has been improved by the use of calcium cyanide dust or gas.

A special technique has been developed for the purpose. Rabbit warrens are found under a wide range of conditions. To be effective the cloud of cyanogas dust must be forced through every runway in the warren. This requires a strong port-



Rats are not only pests.

able pump of rugged construction that can be moved from opening to opening as dusting progresses.

The dust is blown into each opening, which is then closed to seal the slowly generated hydrocyanic acid gas within the warrens. Not only is hydrocyanic acid deadly, but the physical adaptability of the dust to lining the walls of the burrows with a solid film of gas-releasing substance is vital to effectiveness. Calcium cyanide renews the gas concentration and keeps it at the lethal point as the gas is absorbed by the soil. This subjects the inner galleries to a sufficient exposure of lethal gas, which eventually reaches by diffusion the dead-ends in most warrens or burrows to which many animals retreat. The deeply-hidden rodents are not reached by other methods and survive to reinfest treated areas.

Quite aside from the destructiveness of these small animals in their search for food, many of them carry insect parasites known to transmit disease. Outbreaks of Rocky Mountain spotted fever have been traced to ticks carried by wild animals and by them transferred to man. Rats harbor fleas and lice known to transmit a form of typhus fever as well as other diseases to which they may be exposed. Obviously, the use of calcium cyanide by well-known and safe methods in dusting burrows of destructive rodents can be beneficial to American farmers. It has considerable advantage over the use of poison baits which sometimes kill birds and domestic animals important to man.

Method of Marking

Identification of Pigs

One notch in the lower rim of the right ear equals 1, one in the lower rim of the left equals 3, one in the upper rim of the right equals 10, and one in the upper rim of the left ear equals 30. Thus, according to top figure, adding together all of the values represented, we find that the number for this pig will be 44.

When the number of pigs to be marked runs into large numbers, a hole punched in the right ear would stand for 100, left 300, according to lower figure. In this way a great many animals may be accurately recorded and identified.

Care should be taken not to place the notch too near the base, as it may weaken the cartilage which gives support and carriage to the ear.

Inspection Needed

Eighty-three per cent of all milk-borne disease occurs in cities of less than 10,000, according to a report of the American Veterinary Medical association, and 95 per cent of all milk-borne disease occurs in cities of less than 25,000.

Incomplete supervision is due to the fact that some smaller communities feel they cannot afford to pay for duties of a health officer. The association recommends that one health officer serve a group of communities, dividing the expense.

Britain Leads U. S.

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WARTIME FARMING IN U. S. A. AND BRITAIN

INCREASE IN TOTAL FOOD OUTPUT

PREWAR AVERAGE 100%

U. S. A. 1943 122%

PREWAR AVERAGE 100%

BRITAIN 1943 129%

Indies Villagers Are Burned Alive, Places Wiped Out

Sumatran and Javan Groups Massacred by Japs in Style of Nazis.

SAN FRANCISCO. — Emulating the Germans at Lidice, Japanese have wiped out at least two villages of the Netherlands Indies with virtually their entire populations, headquarters of Netherlands forces in the Far East announced.

A village near Medan on Sumatra was soaked with kerosene and petrol and burned to the ground. Inhabitants who tried to escape were shot with machine guns. A village on Java was set afire by incendiary bombs and machine guns also were turned on those trying to flee.

Atrocities Described. Other atrocities were described in a document, "Japanese Atrocities in Occupied Netherlands Indies." It listed cases of savage mistreatment of prisoners of war and civilian populations.

Some persons were burned alive. Some were forced to drink soapy water until they were bloated and then soldiers jumped on their stomachs until the water spouted from their mouths. Prisoners were suspended by their feet and their heads were bumped on the ground. Others were forced to stand with their head thrown back and their eyes opened to the blazing sun.

Japanese women who resisted the advances of Japanese soldiers, the document related, were bayoneted through the breasts.

"The brutality practiced by the enemy during his administration of the islands has been so appalling that this headquarters is making public a few of the instances but by no means the most severe," the document said.

Names Not Given. The names of the destroyed villages were not published but the document said the one on Sumatra was wiped out because it was the home of a newspaper writer who criticized the Japanese in an article in the Medan newspaper.

The Java village refused to give up its rice crop after two harvests had been seized by the Japanese. The citizens were so enraged they killed a policeman sent to arrest a man accused of being the ringleader of the "opposition." The Japanese surrounded the place immediately, bombed it and watched the population perish in the flames.

Prisoners, the document said, are on a starvation diet. They have insufficient clothing to protect them from the weather and no medical attention is provided.

"As a result the death rate in prisoner of war and internment camps is unbelievably high," it said.

Wrote Song When Jilted; Weds, Writes Another

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y. — The man who wrote "My Melancholy Baby" after being jilted at the altar more than 30 years ago finally has married—and has written a new song for his bride.

Ernest Burnett, 60 years old, whose 1910 torch song still is popular, said that he was married September 30 in New York to Mrs. Anna Louchlin Fallon, 55, his Saranac Lake landlady. Mr. Burnett, who came here last May, said they became engaged three months ago.

The name of the new song? "There's a Rainbow in My Heart." Mr. Burnett, who laughingly referred to the jilting which kept him single for so long, said a motion picture would be based on "Melancholy Baby" and that he plans to go to Hollywood soon as technical adviser for the film.

Comes Up With Novel Way to Pay Auto Fines

INDIANAPOLIS. — When Robert L. Keiser told Judge John McNeils that he was interested in improving traffic conditions, the judge suggested that he take the streetcar and leave his car at home.

Keiser had nine overtime parking stickers and one signal disobedience charge against him when he appeared in court. He said that he received many overtime stickers, let them accumulate and paid them off about twice a year.

Ride in Plane Restores Sight Gone for 40 Years

DALLAS. — David Lefkowsky really got his money's worth out of his first airplane ride. Lefkowsky, who had been partially blind in one eye for 40 years, closed his good eye to rest it while en route, and found that he was looking at people on the plane with the other eye. An eye specialist explained a cataract might have been relieved in the change of altitude.

A Family Beats Retreat In Home Front Disaster

KANSAS CITY, MO. — The gravities of war caught up with the Paul Fisher family recently. Their radio, vintage 1939, went to pieces first. Then Mrs. Fisher discovered a part of her washing machine "smashed." The sweeper also made a most peculiar noise. Mr. Fisher arrived at that stage and his wife remarked, "At least the icebox works." Whereupon Fisher opened the icebox and the door fell off.



"Nothing Can Stop the Army Air Force!"

With B-29s ranging over Tokyo almost daily it's tough for the imagination to conceive that three years ago our air forces' only asset was the moxie of its men. . . . Bataan was saved at least once by the wizardry of our air force personnel, who had plenty of ingenuity as well as courage. . . . Enemy ships were trying to land troops on the shore one night. Though there were no bombers with which to stop them, our airmen weren't fazed. . . . Mechanics rigged up three pursuit ships with a device whereby two 300-pound bombs could be attached to the wings and released by pulling a wire. . . . The three ships made three trips that night and bombed and strafed the Jap boats, preventing the troops from landing. . . . What made their feat of stalling the Japs and gaining time for us even more of a miracle was that most of the pilots had never before flown at night!

The newspapers not long ago carried a story telling how there were no trees in the far Aleutians and that pilots had brought in a single tree, planted it and labelled it "Umnak National Forest."

What the news story failed to mention was why the tree had been flown in—for the exclusive use of a flier's pet dog.

A flyer who had been stationed on an island for too many months developed a crush on a half-native girl, who looked very beautiful after months in the South Pacific. . . . In his barracks one day he was getting poetic about the girl—when his buddy, thumbing through a movie magazine, suddenly turned to a photo of Betty Grable in a bathing suit. . . . "How's this?" excitedly asked the buddy, holding up the picture.

The pilot took a brief look and snorted, "White trash!"

On a recent bomber mission over Germany the flight ran into serious opposition from both fighters and flak, and a B-17 was hit. A 20-mm. shell struck the top turret, and the gunner fell to the floor covered with blood. . . . A colonel who had come along as an observer rushed back to give first aid, and, seeing the lad's rigid form, thought he was either dead or dying. . . . He was about to administer a hypodermic when the gunner opened his eyes. . . . The colonel bent over him, putting his ear close to the lad's lips, expecting some last feeble words. . . . "Colonel," was the gunner's comment, "I'm beginning to think there isn't much future in this racket."

Despite popular misconception, boys of the AAF aren't as pin-up happy as people think. . . . This verse was penned several months ago by a B-17 radio operator-gunner who failed to return from a mission over Italy: "Oh, Hedy Lamarr is a beautiful gal. . . . And Madeleine Carroll is, too. . . . But you'll find, if you query, a different theory. . . . Amongst any bomber crew. . . . For the loveliest thing of which one could sing. . . . (This side of the Heavenly Gates). . . . Is no blonde or brunette of the Hollywood set. . . . But an escort of P-38s."

Pet story of Gen. Hap Arnold, chief of the AAF, concerns the Wright brothers, who had repeatedly tried to fly a heavier-than-air craft. Finally, one December day, at Kitty Hawk, N. C., they did what no man had ever done before. They flew! . . . Elated, they wired their sister, Katherine: "We have actually flown 120 feet. Will be home for Christmas." . . . Katherine ran down the street and breathlessly handed the telegram—the news scoop of the century—to the city editor of the local paper.

He read it carefully and smiled: "Well, well! How nice—the boys will be home for Christmas!"

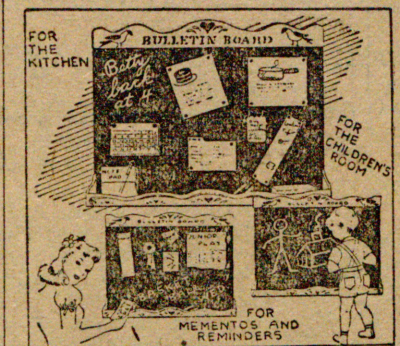
A fighter pilot (veteran of the famed Flying Tigers) took on half a dozen Jap planes in a dogfight and downed two. Then his ammunition ran out. . . . Ramming his plane into a third he bailed out and managed to land safely near the wreck. Removing the one undamaged machine gun from the debris he carried it to his base—where he promptly reported to his commander, Gen. Claire Chennault: "Sir, may I have another airplane for my machine gun?"

During a raid on Schweinfurst several months ago one of our bombers, "Battlin' Bobbie," was hit, and two of her engines were knocked out. . . . For 500 miles the bomber hedge-hopped over trees, roof tops and enemy pillboxes. . . . All the time as the plane limped along her crew kept praying the two smoking engines wouldn't blow up. . . . When they finally reached home and the perspiring pilot climbed out of the ship, his comment was, "We made a chapel out of that airplane today."

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Methodists of Orland Start Drive

Methodists of Orland Park are being called by the Rev. Henry Edward Rompel, minister of the Orland Park Methodist Church, to take part in raising \$25,000,000 for world relief and reconstruction, the first phase of the denomination's nationwide Crusade for Christ program of post-war service.

The local appeal, for which the goal is \$700, will begin January 14. Mr. Rompel announced. The Methodist congregation here is part of nearly 8,000,000 members of 41,000 churches in the United States who are participating in the four-year, five-fold Crusade.

Expenditure of the Crusade fund by the regular, general agencies of the Church will provide for "feeding the hungry, clothing the destitute, and freeing the minds and spirits of the ignorant, the underprivileged, the driven and the dispossessed," Mr. Rompel said. Three-fifths of the fund has been allocated for the "rebuilding and rehabilitation of human life" in foreign countries, nine-tenths in war-devastated areas and the rest in other mission fields. The balance will be used for emergency war-caused needs in this country.

Other phases of the Crusade for Christ program call for continued education in and expression of opinion for "co-operation among nations in the post-war world," renewed evangelism efforts with special emphasis in 1945, education for Christian stewardship of ability, time and money, and improvement of Sunday School enrollment and attendance.

"The Crusade for Christ is Methodism's organized response for assuming its part in meeting the unsettled conditions and vast staggering needs created by the second World War," Mr. Rompel stated.

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—Phoenix Flame.

Trays Are Trip Savers

Trays save trips from kitchen to dining room and from sink to cupboards. At the table stack dishes into glass, silverware and china groups so they can be unloaded in washing order at the sink, suggests the Home Editor of nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer.

Stuffed Baked Potato Teases Family Palate



Stuffed baked potatoes a la mayonnaise have a festive air that adds eye appeal to the dinner table and whets the family's appetite.

This recipe, prepared by Marjorie Griffin, Home Editor of the nationally-circulated Capper's Farmer, pays zestful dividends.

Baked Potatoes a la Mayonnaise
6 large baking potatoes 1 egg separated
3/4 c. mayonnaise 1 tsp. salt
1/4 tsp. pepper
Bake potatoes in hot oven (450° F.) 1 hour or until done. Cut a slice from top of each and scoop out potato. Mash, add mayonnaise, egg yolk and seasonings. Refill shells. Beat egg white until stiff and heap lightly on top of each potato. Place in 350° F. oven until brown. Serves 6.



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Members of the Orland Park Crusade for Christ Council who will direct the financial drive and other phases of the four-year program include: John G. Loebe, Chairman; Elmer Newton, vice-chairman; Arch C. Kay, secretary and Thomas Cooper, treasurer.

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